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Tombstone Inscriptions are listed Name, Birth, Death and Remarks (if any)
Adams, Lorenza C., Dec. 1, 1855, July 25, 1895
Adams, Louisa E., Nov. 3, 1983, Aug. 17, 1886, wife of L. C. Adams
Courson, M. L., Feb. 20, 1887, Feb. 23, 1887
Duncan, Rev. G. W., May 11, 1837, Oct. 13, 1900
Duncan, Margarett E. Feb. 8, 1839, Oct. 9, 1902, Wife of G. W. Duncan
Duncan, Rev. J. W., no birth date, Jan. 2, 1903, aged 28 yrs, 7 ms 13 dys
Duncan, Clara E., Mar. 15, 1887, Feb. 22, 1891 dau of G. W. & Minnie L. Duncan
Franklin, Seleta C., Sept. 12, 1823, April 11, 1904, Age 80 yrs 6 ms
Franklin, Oliver B., Sept. 11, 1857, Sept. 5, 1898
Franklin, Margie, Nov. 5, 1860, Oct. 11, 1899, wife of O. B. Franklin
Franklin, Ellar, Mar. 18, 1887, Sept. 11, 1889, dau of O. B. and Margie Franklin
Hundley, J. E., Nov. 25, 1832, Jan. 30, 1895, Mason
McDougald, Emma, Mar. 30, 1861, July 28, 1898, Mother
McDougald, Wiley, Aug. 19, 1890, Sept. 11, 1900
McDougald, Alaska, Jan. 29, 1898, Oct. 2, 1898
Naff, Clinton, Sept. 3, 1905, Sept. 17, 1905
Pierce, John Wesley, July 20, 1893, July 22, 1898, Son of A. G. and Ella Pierce
Smith, J. C., May 24, 1812, Aug. 23, 1887
Smith, Mary L., Feb. 5, 1860, Dec. 26, 1899, Wife of D. A. Smith
Smith, Charlie F., Dec. 31, 1887, May 7, 1889, Son of J. H. and L. E. Smith
Smith, Viven, May 8, 1985, Jan. 27, 1900 Dau of D. A. & Lula Smith
Willcoxon, G. R., Dec. 20, 157, Apr. 30, 1896
Willcoxon, Annie Elixa, Dec. 6, 1869, Sept. 4, 1907, Wife of J. W. Willcoxon & dau of Jacob and Elmira E. McDougald
Willcoxon, John Clark, Jan. 4, 1894, Aug. 18, 1895, Son of J. W. & Annie Willcoxon
Willcoxon, William Lee, Dec. 20, 1895, Aug. 28, 1896, Son of J. W. & Annie Willcoxon
Willcoxon, Annie Elizer, Aug. 16, 1907, Sept. 16, 1907, Inf dau of J. W. Y Annie Willcoxon
[Editor's Note: A new marker erected during the winter of 1999-2000 lists Sarah McMillan Smith, wife of John O. Smith, May 17, 1819-Dec. 9, 1899]

Members of Central Baptist Church, Names, How and When Received, How and When Dismissed, Remarks
Adams, Ellen, baptism 1881, died 1886
Adams, John [R.], letter 1879; excluded 1880; restored by letter 1885 and dismissed
Adams, Jordan, baptism 1879; excluded 1881
Adams, T. W. [per record]
Allen [Etheridge], Colen, baptism 1884; letter 1894
Allen, Hogan [per record]
Allen, Mattie [per record]
Allen, Ruth, baptism 1884; by letter 1894
Allen, W. S. [per record]
Allen, Y. H, baptism 1884; by letter 1888
Anders, Lula, baptism 1894; letter 1896
Andoe, Mattie, baptism 1882, excluded 1883

Barnes, Elizabeth, baptism 1876, letter 1887
Barnes, I. J., letter 1881, letter 1887
Barnes, W. P., letter 1881, excluded 1885
Barnes, W. W., letter 1881, letter 1887
Beavers [Priest], Denia, baptism 1894, letter 1895
Beavers, James, baptism 1892, excluded 1901
Beavers, Susie, baptism 1887, dead
Berry, Ben, baptism 1910, gone to Miss. 1911
Bethune, Samuel, baptism 1884, letter 1899
Bilbow, M. A., baptism 1879, letter 1885
Bilbow, Pope, baptism 1879, excluded 1883
Birchfield, James, baptism 1907, moved 1913 [or 18, separate entries]
Birchfield, Kate, letter 1907, moved 1913 [or 18, separate entries]
Bolding, (no first name) [per record]
Bray, G. W. [per record]
Brymer, A. L. [Axie], baptism 1874, excluded 1884, restored 1884, died 1886
Brymer, Alice, baptism 1884, letter 1899
Brymer, Georgia, baptism 1894, out
Brymer, Lena, baptism 1895, letter
Brymer, Maggie, baptism 1887, excluded 1889, restored 1889, letter 1900
Brymer, Mary, letter 1895, letter 1911
Brymer, Minnie, baptism 1887, letter 1900
Brymer, T. J., letter 1873, excluded 1884, restored 1894, letter 1911 at Crossett
Buchanan [McPherson], Sallie, baptism 1881, excluded 1887, restored 1898, by letter 1898
Buchanan, Wylie, Jr., baptism 1887, excluded 1891, restored 1906, letter 1909
Buchanan, Wylie, Sr., baptism 1887, died 8-30-1896
Bunn, James [B.], baptism 1879, letter 1884

Bunn, William, baptism 1882, letter 1886
Burchfield, James W. [per record]
Burchfield, Kate [per record]
Butler, Irena, letter 1881, died 1884

Cammack, M. A., letter 1879, letter 1881
Campbell, Georgia, baptism 1894, letter 1906
Campbell, Wiley, baptism 1889, excluded 1890
Carpenter, B. L., letter 1885, excluded 1893
Carpenter, Henry, baptism 1879, letter 1881
Carpenter [Holliman], Maggie, baptism 1877, excluded 1879, restored by letter 1883 and dismissed by letter 1903
Carpenter, Mary, letter 1890, letter 1894
Cartlege, Amanda, letter 1894, letter 1897
Cartlege, B. F., letter 1894, letter 1897
Coleman, James, baptism 1889, letter 1895
Collins, W. E. [per record]
Cone, Ambrose, baptism 1887, excluded 1889, restored 1890
Cone, Anna, baptism 1892, died March 9, 1905
Cone [Granthom], Arrie, baptism 1882, letter 1890
Cone, Elizabeth, letter 1888
Cone, Florence, baptism 1887, letter 1897
Cone, G. C., letter 1881, letter 1883, letter returned 1884, letter 1891
Cone, J. A., restored 1890, letter 1908
Cone, J. B., letter 1874, letter 1879
Cone, James, baptism 1892, letter 1895
Cone, Margaret, letter 1874, letter 1879
Cone, Wash [per record]
Cook, M. A., letter 1880, letter 1881
Courson, Adena, baptism 1904
Courson, Bunion, baptism 1899, excluded 1901, restored 1904
Courson, C. A., letter 1903, letter 1908
Courson, C. E., letter 1903, letter 1908
Courson, Columbus, baptism 1892, excluded 1894, restored 1895, excluded 1899, restored 1901, excluded 1902
Courson, Eliza, letter 1892, gone to Crossett
Courson, F. P., [excluded 1898], restored 1901, died gone to Crossett
Courson, Grida, baptism 1904
Courson, J. B., baptism 1904
Courson, John, baptism 1898, excluded 1901, restored 1904, excluded 1906
Courson, Julius, letter 1881, excluded 1883, restored and dismissed by letter 1883
Courson, Lum [per record]
Courson, M. E., letter 1881, letter 1885

Courson, R. M., letter 1892, letter 1900
Courson, Rad, baptism 1889, excluded 1893, restored and dismissed by letter 1900
Courson, Tobe [per record]
Courson, Vester, baptism Aug. 1901
Courson, Willie, baptism 1904
Cranford, Francis, baptism 1874, dead
Cranford, N. J., letter 1872, letter
Cranford, P. L., baptism 1874, excluded 1875
Culbreath, [no first name], letter 1890, letter 1894
Culbreath, Bettie, letter 1890, letter 1894

Davis, Ester, baptism 1899, letter 1905
Dawkins, W. W., letter 1890, letter 1892
Denton, Allie, letter 1895, letter 1902
Denton, Joel, letter 1895, letter 1902
Dolholf, Goldie, baptism 1899, letter 1905
Doss, India, letter 1907 [per record]
Doss, Julia, letter 1907, copy record 1920, gone to Midway

Earley, Mattie, letter 1902 [per record]
Eavans, Lizzie, baptism 1890, excluded 1902
Eavans, Sarah, baptism 1890, excluded 1893
Eleansburg, J. [per record]

Franklin, Abbie, baptism 1901, letter 1909
Franklin, Allie, baptism 1897, letter 1902
Franklin, C. A., letter 1873, excluded 1883
Franklin, Carrol, baptism 1904, letter 1909
Franklin, Chester, baptism 1904
Franklin, Ella, baptism 1905, letter 1906
Franklin, Ernest, baptism 1899, excluded 1900, restored 1910
Franklin, Ervie, baptism 1895
Franklin, Eva, baptism 1895, letter 1905
Franklin, G. W., baptism 1904, ordained deacon 1908
Franklin, Golda (now Dolhoff), baptism 1899, letter 1905
Franklin, H. J., letter 1890
Franklin, Hattie, baptism 1905, letter 1909
Franklin, Ida, baptism 1891, letter 1905
Franklin, Ira, baptism 1899, excluded 1900
Franklin, J. B., letter 1872, letter 1879, received by letter 1890, died 4-2 1893
Franklin, J. R., letter 1881, excluded 1899, restored 1899, dead
Franklin, James [per record]
Franklin, Lukie, baptism 1905, letter 1909

Franklin, Kittie, baptism 1905, letter 1909
Franklin, Martha, letter 1872, letter 1895, restored by letter 1898
Franklin, Mattie, baptism 1874, letter 1909
Franklin, Minnie (now Hawthorne), baptism 1899, letter 1904
Franklin, N. M., letter 1873, letter 1879
Franklin, Oliver [B.], baptism 1874, letter 1897, died 7-6-1898
Franklin, S. C., letter 1872, letter 1895
Franklin, Saleta (S. C.), letter July 1898, died 1904
Franklin, Sallie, baptism 1904
Fudge, E. A., letter 1879, letter 1888
Fudge, H. E., letter 1879, letter 1888
Furguson [Cone], Lillie, baptism 1892, letter 1895
Furguson, Mars H., baptism 1876, letter 1877

Gamble, Mattie, baptism 1894, letter 1911
Gamble, Wiley, baptism 1889 [per record]
Gammel (Gamble), A. M., baptism 1894 (1904), letter 1911, moved to Hamburg
Gammel, Annie, baptism 1892
Gammel (Gamble), Josephine, baptism 1876, letter 1906
Gammel, R. M., letter 1872, dead 1877
Gammel (Gamble), T[om]. G., baptism 1889, letter Oct. 1901
George, Mrs. Emma, baptism 1887, by certificate 1912, to Crossett.
Gillick, Charley, baptism 1889, letter 1891
Gladney, Elizabeth, dismissed by letter 1887 [per record]
Goldman, (no first name), restoration 1891 [per record]
Graham, Annie, baptism 1904, by letter 1921, to Crossett
Graham, James, baptism 1904, excluded 1906, restored 1921, by letter 1921
Gray, Mary, baptism 1895, by letter
Green, Alonzo, letter 1898, dead Dec. 5, 1905
Green, E., letter 1872, dead 1883
Green, T. G., letter 1904 [per record]
Green, Thomas, baptism 1899, letter Aug. 14, 1901
Green, Thomas, letter 1872, dead 1889
Green, Walter, baptism 1879, letter 1895, restored by letter 189? [torn off]
Greene, J. V., baptism 1899, letter 1904
Greene, Mattie, letter 1898, letter 1906
Greene, Ophelia, baptism 1895, letter 1906
Greene, W. A., letter 1898, letter 1906
Gregory, Hiram, letter 1891 [per record]
Gregory, Laura, letter 1891 [per record]
Griswold, Mattie, baptism 1891, excluded 1893, letter 1911
Griswold [Willis], Minnie, baptism 1884, letter 1895
Griswold, Ora, baptism 1895, letter 1900

Griswold, Robert, baptism 1889, excluded 1892
Griswold, Ruben [M.], baptism 1892, letter 1900
Griswold, Sallie, baptism 1887, letter 1891
Gunther, M. A. [per record]

Haley, W. J., baptism 1875, excluded 1879
Haltom, H. A., letter 1879, letter 1889
Hanson, Dr. Charles P., letter 1906, letter June 11, 1911
Hanson, Laura, baptism 1899, letter June 11, 1911
Harley, H. [per record]
Harley, W. C. [per record]
Harman, Henry, baptism 1891, excluded 1894
Hathaway, Mattie, baptism 1891, letter 1902
Hawthorne, Minnie, baptism 1899, letter 1904
Herren, Elasca, excluded 1892 [per record]
Herren, J[asper]. D., baptism 1889, excluded 1890
Herren, Jacob, baptism 1904, letter 1906
Herren, Rebeca (sister), baptism 1904, letter 1906
Hewett, R. B. [per record]
Holt, G. E. [per record]
Hughen (now Williams), Ada, baptism 1899, refer to page 48
Hughen, Annie, baptism 1899, letter May, 1901
Hughen, Eva, baptism 1905, letter 1907
Hughen, Lizzie, letter 1899
Hughen Mary, baptism 1899
Hughen, Susie, baptism 1889, letter May, 1901
Hughes, T. J., baptism 1888, letter 1891
Hughen, William, baptism 1881, excluded 1899, restored 1899, letter 1901

Jackson, Elma [or Elvar], baptism 1890, excluded 1897 [per record]
Jackson, J. B., baptism 1877, died 1910
Jackson, Lucy (colored), letter 1874, dead
Jackson, Mattie, baptism 1874
Jennings, Allen, letter 1874, death 1896
Jennings, Carlton, baptism 1891, died 1898
Jennings, Elmira, letter 1874, letter 1895
Jennings, J. C. [per record]
Jennings, Jane, letter 1874, dead
Jennings, Mary, baptism 1882, excluded 1902
Jennings, Millard, baptism 1879, letter 1886
Jennings, W. D., restoration 1879, letter 1886
Jennings, Will, baptism 1901
Jennings, Will, baptism Aug. 1901

Johnson, Abraham, baptism 1879, excluded 1880
Johnson, Alice, letter 1902, letter 1905
Johnson, Anna, baptism 1893, letter 1901
Johnson, E[dward]. T., baptism 1887, letter 1901
Johnson, J[ohn]. H., baptism 1889, letter 1905
Jordan, B. F. voucher 1884, letter 1884
Jordan, H., letter 1872, letter 1879
Jordan, Roberta, baptism 1874, letter 1879
Jordan, Rufus, baptism 1891, excluded 1892
Judkins, Susie, letter 1901 [per record]

Kimbro, Alvia, baptism 1904, letter 1905
Kimbro, B. P., letter 1897, letter 1905
Kimbro, Carrol, baptism 1904, died Sept. 10, 1905
Kimbro, Haywood, baptism 1899, letter 1902
Kimbro, Hila, baptism 1904, letter 1905
Kimbro, Kittie A., letter 1897, letter 1905
Kimbro, Maude, baptism 1899, excluded 1905, restored and dismissed 1909
Kimbro, W. C. [per record]
King, Ben, baptism 1897
Knight, Ab, baptism 1889, excluded 1893, restored 1894, excluded 1899
Knight, Abner, restoration 1906, letter 1907
Knight, C. A., baptism 1887, excluded 1894, restored 1897, excluded 1899
Knight, Chas., restoration 1904, letter 1909
Knight [George], Emma, baptism 1887, excluded 1899, [restored 1906]
Knight, G. A., letter 1873, letter 1899, died in 1900
Knight, George, baptism 1897, letter 1900
Knight, George, baptism 1897, letter 1902
Knight, James, letter 1872, excluded in 1899
Knight, Jas. Jr., baptism 1897, excluded 1899
Knight, James, Sr., restoration 1903, died June 1905
Knight, Lula McDougald, baptism, 1887, letter 1909
Knight, M. J., baptism 1882, excluded 1899
Knight, Mary J[ane]., restoration 1906, to Clovis, N. Mexico
Knight, Robert, baptism 1889, excluded 1897
Knight, Ruby B., baptism 1897, excluded 1901

Lain, Sam, baptism 1897, excluded 1899
Lee, Mary, baptism 1899, letter 1907
Lee, Willie, letter 1907 [per record]
Lewis, John, baptism 1879, died 1895
Linder, F. M., baptism 1887, excluded 1894
Linder, John, baptism 1889, excluded 1897

Linder, Josie, baptism 1899, letter 1906
Linder, Samuel, baptism 1887, excluded 1890
Linder, Susie, letter 1893, letter 1906
Linder, Uriah, baptism 1879, died 1882
Linder, William, baptism 1884, letter 1884
Linder, Willie, baptism 1889, letter 1891
Lloyd, D[ora]. P. baptism 1884, letter 1892
Lloyd, James, baptism 1894, excluded 1897
Lloyd, L. A, baptism 1884, excluded 1890
Lloyd, Thella, baptism 1887, letter 1892
Lloyd, Willis [or Willie], baptism 1891, letter 1892
Lloyd, Young, baptism 1891, excluded 1893
Lowry, Sister Lucy, letter 1904
Lowry, Bro. Samuel, letter 1904, letter 1907
Lumbley, W. T. [per record]

Martin, John [H.], baptism 1904
Martin, Sister Johnie, baptism 1904, dead
Martin, Rebaca, letter 1904
Martin, Velmas, baptism 1904
Martin, Zelie, baptism 1904
Matthews, Sidney, baptism 1891, letter 1897
McCauley, William, baptism 1884, excluded 1886, restored 1887, letter 1889
McDougald, Allie (now Knaff), baptism 1899, letter 1909
McDougald, Alonzo, baptism 1884, excluded 1886, restored 1887, excluded 1889, restored 1897, letter 1897
McDougald, Annie, baptism 1882, letter 1897
McDougald, Bryant, baptism 1879, died 1890
McDougald, Dora, baptism 1895, died 1899
McDougald, Earnist, baptism 1904, letter 1907
McDougald, Effie, letter 1893, letter 1896
McDougald, Elizer, baptism 1887, letter 1891
McDougald, Elmira, letter 1873, died July 14, 1918
McDougald, Erastus, baptism 1892, died 1900
McDougald, Flora, baptism 1879
McDougald, George, baptism 1889, excluded 1892
McDougald, Jacob, letter 1872, gone to Hamburg, died April 8, 1914
McDougald, John, baptism 1887, letter 1894
McDougald, Laura, baptism 1887, died 1898
McDougald, Lela baptism 1905, letter 1907
McDougald, Lizzie, letter 1899, letter 1907
McDougald, Lula, baptism 1887,
McDougald, Otis, baptism 1889, letter 1894, excluded 1899, restored, letter 1902

McDougald, R. J. [Bob], baptism 1894, excluded 1897? [in hole, could be 1 or 7], restored 1897, letter 1895, died Aug. 9, 1897
McDougald, Sarah, voucher, 1894, letter 1895
McDougald, Tom, baptism 1891, letter 1907
McDougald, W[illis]. B., baptism 1888, excluded 1890, restored 1891, died 1894
McDougald, Walter, baptism 1904, letter 1907
McGill, Flora, baptism 1892, letter 1896
McGill, Willie, baptism 1892, excluded 1894, restored 1899, letter 1899
McPherson [Ward], Mary, baptism 1882, excluded 1886, restored 1886
Mears, Edward, baptism 1891, letter 1896
Mears, George, baptism 1891, excluded 1897
Mears, Tildia, letter 1888, letter 1896
Mears, W. M, letter 1888, letter 1896
Mitchell, Annie, baptism 1892, died 1900
Mitchell, E. T. [per record]
Mitchell [Griswold], Hellen, letter 1891, letter 1900
Mitchell, Nancy, letter 1874, died Nov. 10, 1917
Mitchell, Odie, baptism 1892, excluded 1989, restored 1902, letter 1902
Moffitt, Gennie, letter 1908 [per record]
Moore, Geo. D. [per record]
Moore, H[enrietta]. J., letter 1890, letter 1906
Morgan, F. C., letter 1890, excluded 1892
Morgan, T. G. [per record]
Morphet, Jennie, dismissed by letter 1887 [per record]
Morris, Angeline, letter 1881, letter 1887
Morris, B. F. restoration 1884, letter 1887
Morris, Nancy (colored), baptism 1883, excluded 1885
Moseley [Griswold], Annie, baptism 1887, excluded 1889
Mosley, Robert, baptism 1891, letter 1895

Naft, Allie, letter 1909 [per record]
Noble, D. M., letter 1873, letter 1876
Noble, F. M., letter 1873, letter 1876
Noble, L. A., letter 1873, letter 1876
Norris, M. E., letter 1872, letter 1880
Norris, T. D., letter 1872, letter 1880
Norris, Walter, baptism 1874, letter 1881

Odone, William, baptism 1876, died 1887
Ogletree, (no first name) [per record]
Oll, Ida, baptism 1905
Overstreet, Martha, baptism 1891, letter 1900

Pamplin, John, baptism 1887 [per record]
Paterson, Allie, baptism 1894
Paterson, Bago, baptism 1895, died 1898
Payne, Luna, baptism 1889
Pierce, Augustus, baptism 1887, letter Oct. 1901
Pierce, Ella, baptism 1889, letter Oct. 1901
Pistole, Lena, baptism 1895, letter 1906
Powell, Elizabeth, letter 1873, died 3-8, 1896
Powell, Ella, baptism 1889
Powell, Emma, baptism 1877, died 1898
Powell, John, baptism 1884, letter 1904
Powell, Lula, baptism 1887, died 1890
Powell, M. P., letter 1872, dead
Powell, Margaret, baptism 1876, letter 1897
Powell, S. E., letter 1873 Dead
Powell, Trabecia, baptism 1889, letter 1904
Price, E. G., letter 1896, letter 1898
Price, T. E., letter 1895, letter 1898
Pritchard, Josephine, baptism 1879, letter [1891]

Ragans, Ruth, letter 1894 [per record]
Reddin, Sister H. C., baptism 1904, letter 1909
Reddin, T. B., baptism 1904, letter 1909
Richardson, N. J., letter, letter 1874
Ridgell, G. H. baptism 1879, letter 1906
Ridgell, J. V[ollie]., baptism 1887, letter 1898
Riley, George, baptism 1889, excluded 1893, restored, letter 1899
Riley, J. H. [per record]
Riley, Robert, baptism 1884, letter 1891
Roberts, A. J., letter 1894, letter 1896
Roberts, Ida, baptism 1895, letter 1896
Roberts, Mary, letter 1894, letter 1896
Roberts, Vester, baptism 1901, gone to Crossett
Rodgers, A. L., letter 1892, letter 1901
Rodgers, Almar, baptism 1899, letter 1901
Rodgers, Emma, baptism 1899, letter 1901
Rodgers, James, baptism 1884, died 1886
Rodgers, Ophelia (now Green), baptism 1895, letter 1906, Ok.
Rogers, J[no]. R., baptism 1881, letter 1901
Rogers, M. A., letter 1872
Rogers, Ophelia (now Hughen), baptism 1879, letter 1901
Rolling, Evie, baptism 1892, excluded 1897

Roseman, Fannie, baptism 1891, excluded 1897

Savage, Laura, letter, letter 1883, restored by letter 1886, letter 1887
Scott, J. W., letter 1872, letter 1873
Scott, Martha, letter, 1872, letter 1873
Sellers, Edward, restoration 1894 [per record]
Sims, J. B. [per record]
Shurtleff, Alice, letter 1899, joined Mt. Oliver, July 24, 1921
Shurtleff, Janie, baptism 1901, gone to Wilmar
Shurtleff, W. D., baptism 1904, joined Mt. Olive, July 24, 1921
Shurtleff, Walter, baptism 1907
Shurtleff, Webster, baptism 1906
Simpson, John, baptism 1889, died 1896
Slocomb, F. M.., baptism 1879, letter 1901
Slocomb, John, letter 1881, letter 1899
Slocomb, Mattie, baptism 1882, letter 1886
Slocumb, Darkish, letter 1890, letter 1901
Slocumb, Elijah, letter 1890, letter 1901
Slocumb, Ella, baptism 1889, letter 1899
Slocumb, Henry, baptism 1895, died 1896
Slocumb, I. M., letter 1890, letter 1901
Slocumb, Tralucia, baptism 1889
Slocumb, W. W., restoration 1904, excluded 1905, restored 1906, letter 1911, to Lake Village
Slocumb, Willey, baptism 1899, excluded 1900
Smith, Abbie, letter 1892, letter 1893
Smith, Christa Lee, baptism 1904
Smith, E. E., letter 1892, letter 1893
Smith, G. W., letter 1872, letter 1876
Smith, Jessie, baptism 1904, by certificate 1914
Smith, Larrie, baptism 1899, excluded 1901
Smith, Lonnie, restored 1904
Smith, Maggie [per record]
Smith, Mattie, baptism 1894
Smith, May [per record]
Smith, Monroe, baptism 1889, excluded 1893, restored by letter 1897, letter Sept. 29, 1907
Smith, S. P., letter 1872, letter 1876
Smith, Sallie, letter 1891 [per record]
Smith, Vester, baptism, 1895, excluded 1899, restored 1904
Stanley, Anna, baptism 1894
Stanley [Williams], Ella, baptism 1889, excluded, restored 1894

Stanley, Laura (now Hansen), baptism 1899
Stanley, Lula Belle, baptism 1910, joined Mt. Olive, married to Ira Riley
Stanley, Mollie, letter 1872
Stanley, W. S., baptism 1884
Stanley, Willis, baptism 1884
Stell, Drilla, baptism 1877, letter 1879
Stell, J. C. [per record]
Stiles, S. T., letter 1880, letter 1881
Street, Martha, restoration 1891 [per record]

Tamplin, John, baptism 1887, letter 1888
Tanner, Sidny, letter 1897 [per record]
Taylor, A. F., restoration 1887, excluded 1897
Taylor [Billbo], E. J[ane]., letter 1872, excluded [1890]
Taylor, H. A., baptism 1887, excluded 1888
Thach, E. letter 1874, letter 1887
Thach, Frank, baptism 1884, letter 1886
Thach, J. B., letter 1872, letter 1887
Thach, Jennie, baptism 1881, letter 1887
Thach, Lucy, baptism 1881, letter 1887
Thompson, Cora, letter 1891 [per record]
Thornell, Redmon, baptism 1890
Tully, J. S. [per record]

Vancamp, Ida, baptism 1889, excluded 1897

Waldrop, J. V. B. [per record]
Walker, D. B., baptism 1874, letter 1877
Walker, Jane, baptism, 1874, letter 1877
Walter, Thomas, letter 1907 [per record]
Ward, A. J[ack]., baptism 1879, excluded 1882, restored 1884, excluded 1886, restored 1887
Ward, Kelsie, baptism 1904
Ward, Mary, restored 1886
Ward, Pryor, baptism 1907
Watson, R. M. [per record]
Webb, W. M. [per record]
Weeks, Lottie, letter 1874, letter 1877
Wells, Frank [per record]
West, Tom, baptism 1906 [per record]
Wheat, Anna, baptism 1894, death 1902
Wheat, Florie, baptism 1904, letter 1905
Wheat, Jas., baptism 1889 [per record]

Wheat, Z[ac]. R., baptism 1889, excluded 1890, restored 1892, excluded 1893, restored 1897. gone to Lake Village
Whetstone, Allie, baptism 1894, exclusion 1902
White, Burtin, letter 1890, letter 1898
Wilcoxon, Jessie, baptism 1899, letter 1906
Wilcoxon, John, baptism 1884, letter 1897
Wilcoxon, Julia, baptism 1887, letter 1906
Wilcoxon, Ruth, baptism 1899, letter 1906
Willcoxon, Levy, baptism, 1899, letter 1906, [letter, per record] Sept. 18, 1910
Williams, Ada, letter 1899, letter Sept. 18, 1910
Williams, Allie, letter 1904, letter 1905
Williams, C. A., baptism 1904
Williams, Dan, baptism 1892, excluded 1893, restored
Williams, Dan, restored 1894, 1912 by certificate
Williams, Ella, restored 1894
Williams, Emory, letter 1904, letter 1910, gone to Argenta
Williams, J. W., letter 1904, letter 1904
Williams, John, baptism 1889, excluded 1890, restored 1892, excluded 1893
Williams, Lenard, baptism 1907, gone to Hamburg
Williams, Luna, baptism 1889, gone to Hamburg
Williamson, Chas., baptism 1907, 1912 by certificate, gone to Hamburg
Williamson, David, baptism 1879, letter 1885
Williford, Alex, baptism 1874, died 1880
Williford, M. E., letter 1872, died 1881
Williford, Margaret, baptism 1879, letter 1881
Williford, Nancy, baptism 1874, excluded 1891
Willis, Ben, baptism 1889, excluded 1891, restored, letter 1895
Willis, John, excluded 1893 [per record]
Willis, M. J., baptism 1873, letter 1877
Wood, John S. [per record]

Record of Minutes

Central Church, July the 14th, 1883
After preaching by Eld. J. V. B. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. The Committee on church covenant and rules of decorum made a report by presenting a new covenant and revised rules of decorum which were read and adopted. The Committee on Pulpit building reported that under unavoidable circumstances, they had failed to do the work and asked for further time, which was

granted. The following resolution offered by Bro. Fudge was adopted, to-wit, Whereas, it appears that Bro C. A. Franklin has been guilty of disorderly walk, and as he has requested us to withdraw our fellowship from him, therefore resolved that we now withdraw fellowship from said brother. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B. Waldrup, mod. T. J. Brymer, clk.

Central Church, August 11th, 1883
After divine service by Eld. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. The committee on building of pulpit reported the work partially done and asked for further time, which was granted. The committee on church Record Book reported that the book was purchased and presented the same to the church, which was received and the committee discharged. A charge was preferred against Bro. Pope Bilbow for unchristian conduct with the specifications of intoxication, profanity and proclaiming non fellowship with the church. Said brother being present and refusing to make any concessions, he was excluded from the fellowship of the church. A charge as preferred against Sister Mattie Andoe for unchristian conduct with the specification of dancing. On a motion of the church her case was deferred until the next meeting. Bro. Barnes volunteered to see and advise with said sister. The church elected delegates to the association which resulted in the choice of Brethren Barnes, Fudge and Thach, with Brymer and J. McDougald as alternates. A motion was carried to send 1.25 dollars for minutes. The clerk was ordered to prepare a letter to the association to be read at our next meeting. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod. T. J. Brymer, Clerk

Central Church, September 9th, 1883
After divine service by Eld. W. C. Kimbro, the church assembled in conference. Our Pastor being absent, a motion prevailed that Eld. Kimbro act as moderator pro tem. And the clerk being absent, E. A. Fudge was appointed clerk pro tem. The minute of the last meeting was read and adopted. The door of the church was open for reception of members. The committee on Pulpit made their report, which was received and the committee discharged. The case of Sister Mattie Andoe was considered, and as she refused to make any concessions, the church withdrew fellowship from said sister. The letter to the Association was read and approved. Sister Maggie Holliman, known on our church record book as Maggie Carpenter, was restored to the fellowship of the church and a letter of dismission was granted to her. Also a letter of dismission was granted Sister Savage. A resolution was offered by Bro. Fudge for the limitation of church letters, which was received and tabled. An election was held for Pastor for the next associational year, which resulted in the unanimous choice of Eld Waldrop. Done by order of the church in conference.
W. C. Kimbro, Mod pro tem. E. A. Fudge, clk pro tem

Central Church, October 14th, 1883
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The door of the church being open for the reception of members Nancy Morris (cold) was received by experience of grace. The resolution which was tabled at the last meeting was taken up, read and adopted and the clerk was ordered to record the same in connection with the rules of decorum. The following resolution was adopted, to-wit: Whereas it appears that Bro. Julius Casen [Courson] has been guilty of unchristian conduct, and having been absent from the church for a considerable time, therefore resolved: that we withdraw fellowship from said brother. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., T. J. Brymer, Clk.

Central Church, Nov. 11th, 1883
After divine service by Bro. Waldrop the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent, the writer was appointed clerk pro tem. The reading of the last minute was deferred as it was not at hand. In the afternoon the ordinance of Baptism was administered to Sister Nancy Morris (cold) who had been received on experience of faith at the last meeting. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, clk. pro tem.

Central Church, December 8th, 1883
After divine service by Bro. Waldrop the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent the writer was appointed clerk pro tem. The minute of the last meeting not being at hand the reading of the same was deferred. Our clerk having been absent frequently from our conference meetings, it was deemed as expedient to elect another clerk. An election was had which resulted in the choice of Bro. Fudge for clerk and treasurer. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. Thach, clk. pro tem

Central Church, January 13th, 1884
After divine service by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minutes of the three previous meetings were read and adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, clk.

No meeting in February– cause inclement weather.

Preaching in March, but no conference– no business before the church. E. A. Fudge, clk.

Central Church, April 12th, 1884
After divine service by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. There being no business before the church and having no conference at our last meeting, hence no minute. Charges were preferred against Bro. John Slocomb and Sister Brymer for

unchristian conduct for dancing. Bro. Slocomb being present and answering to the charge with satisfactory concessions, he was exonerated. As Sister Brymer was not present, a committee was appointed consisting of brethren Barnes and Fudge to see and notify her that the charge against her would be considered at our next meeting. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, clk.

Central Church, May 10th, 1884
After preaching by Eld. W. T. Lumbley, the church assembled in conference. The door of the church was open for reception of members. The minute of the last meeting was read and adopted. A committee on Sister Brymer's case made their report, which was received and the committee discharged. The charge was then considered, and after due deliberation, the church withdrew fellowship from said Sister. Brother Brymer having requested through the clerk that his connection with the church be severed, and the matter being considered to some extent, the clerk promised to offered a resolution to that effect at our next meeting. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, clk.

Central Church, June 7th, 1884
After preaching by Eld. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. The minute of the last meeting was read and adopted. The clerk offered a resolution to the effect of excluding Bro. Brymer from the fellowship of the church. And after consideration of said resolution, a motion prevailed to lay it on the table until next meeting. A letter of dismission was granted to Bro. J. B. Bunn. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, clk.

Central Church, July 12th, 1884
After preaching by Eld. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent, J. B. Jackson was appointed clerk pro tem. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted.
The resolution which was tabled at our last meeting was taken up, and after due consideration, the same was adopted, and the church withdrew fellowship from Bro. Brymer. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., J. B. Jackson , clk. pro tem

Resolution
Whereas it appears that Bro. T. J. Brymer is guilty of unchristian conduct and having requested that his membership with us be discontinued: Therefore, resolved that we withdraw fellowship from said brother; and that this resolution be recorded in our record book.
E. A. Fudge

Central Church, August 9th, 1884
After preaching by Eld. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. It being the time to select delegates to the association, a motion prevailed to postpone the same until the 5th Sunday this month. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, clk.

Central Church, Sept. 9th, 1884
Our district meeting, composed of ministers and deacons of several churches, convened with us, on Saturday and Sunday, August 30th and 31st, 1884; and after the business of said meeting was over, we had protracted services both day and night until Tuesday, Sept. 9th. Elder R. A. Lee of Monticello was with us, who did nearly all of the preaching. The ministration of the Word was attended with the power of the Holy Spirit unto the conviction and conversion of many souls. During the meeting, the membership of our church and quite a number from sister churches also, were greatly revived and spiritually benefitted. The following named persons were received into membership with us by experience and baptism, to-wit: Frank Thach, William Linder, Samuel Bethune, Y. H. Allen, Alonzo McDougald, John Powell, John Wilcoxen, Willis Stanley, William McCauley, Ambrose Cone, James Rodgers, Robert Riley, L. A. Lloyd, D. T. Lloyd, Alice Brymer, Ruth Allen, Bolen [Colen] Allen and Minnie Griswold. And Bro. Jack Ward and Sister Axie Brymer, both having been excluded from the fellowship of our church were restored to the same. Bro. B. F. Morris, who had been excluded from Mt. Olive Church, was also restored to fellowship with us. Bro. B. F. Jordan, a member of Clear Creek Church in Drew County, made application for membership with us, and he, having no letter of recommendation from said church, was received upon satisfactory vouchers. And Bro. G. C. Cone, who held a letter of dismission from us returned said letter and was thereby reinstated and identified with us.
On Thursday evening, Sept. 4th, the church convened for the purpose of transacting the special business of the church. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. An election was had for messengers to the association, which resulted in the choice of brethren E. A. Fudge, E. Thach and William Hewen [Hughen] with W. W. Barnes as alternate. A motion prevailed that we send $1.50 for minutes. The clerk was authorized to write a letter to the association. The Church then made choice for Pastor for the next associational year, which resulted in the unanimous choice for Bro. Waldrop.
Our Pastor having requested us to excuse him from preaching to us at our regular time in this month, his request was granted. Adjourned to meet on our regular day in October. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, c.c.

Central Church, Oct. 11th, 1884
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. The minute of last meeting was read and

adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, c.c.

Central Church, Nov 8th, 1884
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. Letters of dismission were granted to brethren B. F. Jordan and William Linder. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, c.c.

Preaching on Sunday, Dec. 13th, 1884, by Bro. Waldrop, but no conference.
E. A. Fudge, c.c.

Central Church, Jan. 10th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of the November meeting was read and adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, c.c.

Preaching in February and March by Bro. Waldop, but no conference.
E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, April 11th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of the January reading was read and adopted. A resolution was offered by the church clerk to exclude Bro. W. P. Barnes from the fellowship of the church which was adopted, and the same was ordered to be recorded in the Church Book. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, c.c.

Resolution
Whereas, Bro. W. P. Barnes has concluded that he was never converted and therefore not a fit subject for membership in the Church, and having requested us to exclude him from our fellowship. Therefore resolved, that we now withdraw our fellowship from said brother.
E. A. Fudge

Central Church, May 9th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. A charge was preferred against Sister Nancy Morris (colored) for unchristian conduct in dancing. The case was duly considered and the church withdrew fellowship from her. Bro. David Williamson made an application for letters of dismission for himself and wife, which were granted and the clerk was ordered

to furnish the same. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, June 13th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

No conference in July

Central Church, August 9th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop the church assembled in conference. The door of the church was opened for reception of members. The minute of the June meeting was read and adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C.C.

Central Church, Sept. 12th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The door of the church being open for the reception of members. Bro. B. L. Carpenter presented a letter of recommendation from Promise Land Church which was read and he was received into fellowship with us. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The clerk having received a letter from the church at Woodlawn in Drew County, Ark., requesting information as to the standing of J. R. Adams, who formerly held membership with us read the same, and was ordered by the church to reply to the same, and state the facts as recorded in our church record. Also one from Aberfoil Church in Alabama requesting letters of dismission for Julius Cosen [Courson] and wife was read and the clerk was ordered to forward a letter to the Sister Cosen [Courson] and to inform that church, that Bro. Cason [Courson] had been excluded from our fellowship and for what offense. Also a communication from Meridian Church in Ashley County, Ark., was read which set forth certain allegations against our Pastor for what he had said relative to the ordination of a young brother (R. A. Watson) by said church. And after due consideration, the same was tabled and ignored. We then proceeded to select delegates to the association which resulted in the choice of brethren L. A. Lloyd, E. A. Fudge, and Y. H. Allen with John Wilcoxen as alternate. Adjourned till Sabbath morning 10 o'clock.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge C. C.

Sunday, Sept. 13th, 1885
After prayer by the writer, the church assembled in conference pursuant to adjournment. Eld. W. T. Lumbley was appointed to serve a moderator pro tem. The choice for pastor for the church for the next associational year was considered, where a motion prevailed

that said choice be made by acclamation. Bro. Waldrop's name was then put in nomination, and he was chosen by a unanimous vote. Adjourned
Done by order of the church in conference,
W. T. Lumbley, mod. Pro tem, E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, October 10th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, clk.

Central Church, Nov. 7th, 1885
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The clerk read a letter from the clerk of Woodland Church in Drew County which contained satisfactory acknowledgment from Bro. J. R. Adams and his request to be restored to fellowship with us and what we would grant him a letter of dismission which was done. Also one from Bro. Courson of Ala. which contained his acknowledgments, and request for restoration and letter of dismission, all of which was satisfactory and he was also restored and granted a letter of dismission . Adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Preaching in Jan. 1886, but no conference.

Central Church, Feb. 13, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last November meeting was read and adopted. We had no conference in Dec. or Jan. on account of inclement weather. There being no business on hand at this time, adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, Mar 14th, 1886
After preaching by Eld. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent, the writer was appointed clerk pro tem. The door of the church was open for reception of members. There was a complaint before the church, that some of the members were guilty of unchristian conduct by dancing. And a suggestion was made by Bro. W. S. Allen that the matter be deferred another month, which was done. Adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., J. B. Jackson, clk pro tem

Central Church, Apr. 10th 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting and the minute of the meeting in February were read and adopted. The reference

in the last minute was considered and a motion prevailed to defer any action on the same until the next meeting. Adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church May 8th, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting read and adopted. The reference from the last meeting was taken up, and after consideration, charges were preferred against the following named members for the sin of dancing, to-wit: Alonzo McDougald, Ambrose Cone, William McCauley, A. J. Ward and Mary Ward. The last being known on the church books as Mary McPherson. And after due deliberation, the church withdrew fellowship from said brethren and sister. Brethren Thach, Lloyd, Knight and Fudge made concessions to the church for disorderly conduct, all of which was received as satisfactory. Adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, Sunday June 13th, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the door of the church being open for reception of members, sister Laura Savage presented a letter of dismission from Jackson Church, Ala., and she was received into full fellowship with us. Done by order of the church.
E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, July 10th, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minutes for May and June were read and adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, August 7th, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. There being no other business, adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, Sunday evening, August 8th, 1886
At the close of prayer meeting, Sister Mattie Carpenter applied for a letter of dismission which was granted. And Sister Mary Ward, who had been excluded for dancing, made satisfactory concessions and was restored to full fellowship in the church. Adjourned. Done by order of the Church..
E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, Sept. 11th, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. An election was had for messengers to the association

which resulted in the choice of brethren Floyd, Barnes and Fudge, with John Slocomb as alternate. The clerk tendered his resignation, which was received, and J. R. Rodgers [Rogers] was elected to the office of clerk. Adjourned. Done by order of the church.
J. V. B. Waldrop, Mod., E. A. Fudge, C. C.

Central Church, Oct. 9th, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The door of the church was open for the reception of members. Letters of dismission were granted to brethren Willie Bunn, William Jennings and sister Mildard Jennings. Adjourned to meet on Sunday evening October 17. Done by order of the church, J. V. B. Waldrop, mod., J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Oct. 17th, 1886
After prayer by Bro. Fudge, the church assembled in conference. On motion Bro. Fudge was appointed moderator pro tem. A committee was appointed consisting of Brethren John Powel [Powell], John Slocomb, J. R. Rodgers to assist in collecting the amount due for Waldrop. Adjourned. Done by order of the church.
E. A. Fudge, moderator pro tem, J. R. Rodgers ch c

Central Church, Nov. 14th, 1886
After preaching by Bro. Waldrop, the church assembled in conference. On motion Bro. W. S. Allen was appointed moderator pro tem. The minute of Oct. 9th were read and adopted. The minute of Oct. 17th was deferred as it was not at hand. A letter of dismission was granted to Frank Thatch. Adjourned to meet on second Sabbath in December. Done by order of the church.
W. S. Allen, moderator pro tem, Jno. R. Rodgers, ch clk

Central Church, April 23rd, 1887
After prayer by Bro. Fudge, the church assembled in conference. On motion Bro. Fudge was appointed moderator pro tem The minute of the two last meetings (Oct. 17th and Nov. 14th) were read and adopted. The committee to assist in collecting the amount due Bro. Waldrop was discharged. The resolution which was adopted last Nov. in regard to calling a Pastor was rescinded and a motion prevailed that the church would consider the propriety of calling a Pastor at our next regular meeting. Adjourned. Done by order of the church.
E. A. Fudge, moderator pro tem; J. R. Rodgers, ch clk

Central Church, May 7th, 1887
After prayer by Bro. Fudge, the church assembled in conference for the purpose of electing a Pastor. On motion Bro. Fudge was appointed moderator pro tem. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. A motion prevailed to defer the election of a Pastor indefinitely and it was unanimously agreed that we request Elder Hogan Allen to preach for us once a month for the remainder of the ensuing associational year and Bro. Fudge

was appointed to notify Bro. Allen of the same. The time for holding our conference meeting was changed from Saturday before the second to Saturday before the fourth Sabbath in each month at 3 o'clock, p.m. A committee consisting of brethren J. McDougald, J. R. Franklin, J. R. Rodgers was appointed to request several of our members who were considered in disorder to attend at our next meeting. Adjourned to meet on the 21st inst.. Done by order of the church.
E. A. Fudge, mod pro tem J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church May 22nd, 1887
After service by Bro. Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. On motion Bro. Allen was appointed mod pro tem. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The committee that was appointed to request several of our members who were considered in disorder to attend at our next meeting was continued. Bro. Allen accepts of the invitation of the church and will preach on the Fourth Sunday in each month. Letter of dismission were granted to Sister Laura Savage. Done by order of the church,
Bro. Hogan Allen moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church June 26th, 1887
After service by Bro. Hogan Allen the church assembled in conference. On motion Bro. Allen was appointed moderator pro tem. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The report of the committee was referred until next meeting. Letters of dismission were granted to Bro. William Barnes, Sister I. J. Barnes and Sister Elizabeth Gladney. Adjourned to meet at 3 ½ o'clock p.m. on Saturday before the fourth Sabbath in July. Done by order of the church,
Bro. Hogan Allen moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, July 23rd, 1887
After services by Bro. Allen, the church assembled in conference. On motion Bro. Allen was appointed moderator pro tem. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The committee made their report which was received and committee discharged. A committee consisting of Bro. Fudge and Bro. Jas. Knight was appointed to notify Brethren L. A. Lloy [Lloyd], Samuel Bethune, Robert Riley, B. L. Carpenter, B. F. Morris, Frank Slocomb to attend our next meeting as they were considered in disorder. Adjourned. Done by order of the church,
H. Allen moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

July 24
After preaching, Bro. Sam Bethune who had been guilty of dancing made satisfactory concessions to the church which was received.
J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, August 27th, 1887
After prayer by Bro. Fudge, the church assembled in conference. Bro. Fudge was

appointed moderator pro tem. The minute of the last meeting was read and adopted. The committee was appointed at our last meeting made a report which was rec[d] and the committee discharged. Brethren L. A. Lloyd, Robert Riley, B. L. Carpenter, F. M. Slocomb and Y. H. Allen, who were considered in disorder, made satisfactory concessions to the church which were rec[d]. Bro. B. F. Morris being absent his case was deferred until next meeting. Adjourned.
Our meeting was protracted from day to day until the 4th of September during which time our church was greatly revived and the following persons were added to the church by experience and baptism, to-wit: Charley Knight, John McDougald, Sam Linder, Julia Willcoxon, John Pamplin, Florence Cone, Sallie Griswold, Lula McDougald, Annie Moseley, Laura McDougald, Eliza McDougald, Lula Powell, Emma Knight, Maggie Brymer, Minnie Brymer, Augusta [Augustus] Pierce, Edward Johnson, Ambrose Cone, Wiley Buchanan, Jr., Wiley Buchanan, Sr., Thella Lloyd, Susan Beavers, H. A. Taylor, F. M. Linder, and J. V. Ridgell. And the following were received by restoration, to-wit: Alonzo McDougald, A. J. Ward and A. F. Taylor. On Thursday, Sept 1st, the church met in conference for the purpose of calling a pastor and selecting messengers to the association. Elder John S. Wood was appointed mod pro tem.
Eld. Hogan Allen was called to the care of the church by a unanimous vote and Brethren E. A. Fudge, J. R. Rodgers and Y. H. Allen were selected as delegates with J. McDougald, B. L. Carpenter and J. R. Franklin as alternates. Adjourned to meet at Eleven O'clock Saturday before the fourth Sabbath in September. Done by order of the church,.
Eld. John S. Wood, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Sept. 24, 1887
After service by Bro. Allen, the church assembled in conference. Bro. Allen accepts the care of the church. The church extended an invitation for membership. Bro. Billy McCauley was restored to full fellowship of the church. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. Bro. B. F. Morris made satisfactory concessions to the church by Bro. James Knight and his case was discharged. The Association letter read and adopted. Two dollars-fifty ($2.50) was sent to the association for minutes. It was suggested that at our next meeting we would go into and [have] a nomination for a deacon. Letters of dismission was granted to Bro. E. Thach and wife Lucy Thach and Jennie Morphet. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Bro. Hogan Allen, moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Oct. 22nd, 1887
After service by Bro. Allen, the church assembled into conference, visiting brethren invited to seats with us and invitation was extended for membership. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. A committee was appointed consisting of brethren L. A. Lloy [Lloyd], J. McDougald, William Hughen to see and collect the amount promised to Bro.Waldrop during his pastorship here. Letters of dismission was granted to Bro. B. G. Morris and wife. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference
Bro. Hogan Allen, moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Nov. 27, 1887
After service by Bro. Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Brethren invited to seats with us in conference. Minute of last meting was read and adopted. J. R. Rodgers was nominated for deacon. The committee that was appointed at our last meeting made their report which was received and committee discharged and Bro. E. A. Fudge was to pay the amount collected to Bro. Waldrop and give him a list of the names that had promised to pay him. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference
Bro. Hogan Allen, moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, December 25, 1887
Services by Bro. Hogan Allen. But no conference.
J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, January 22nd, 1888
After services by Bro. Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. Moved and second that on the fourth Sabbath in February, the church would attend to ordaining a deacon. It was moved and second that the church covenant and rules would be read at our next meeting and that there would be some action taken on church rules. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference
Bro. Hogan Allen, moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Feb. 25, 1888
After service by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The church covenant and rules of decorum was read and the 11th, 12th and 13th rules of decorum was abolished. Missionary book that was adopted at our last association was presented and received and Y. H. Allen and E. T. Johnson was appointed to take charge of the book. Adjourned until Sunday.

Feb. 26.
After 11 o'clock services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference for the purpose of ordaining a deacon. On motion, Bro. L. A. Lloyd was appointed to answer the interrogations in behalf of the church. J. R. Rodgers was then presented and ordain (sic) deacon of this church. Elder Hogan Allen and Bro. Fudge constituted the presbytery. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference
Elder Hogan Allen, moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, March 24, 1888
After service by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. Charges was prefered (sic) against Bro. H. A. Taylor for the sin of profanity and treating the church with contempt. His case was considered, and the church withdrew fellowship from said Bro. H. A. Taylor. Complaint was made against Bro. John Tamplin and the church instructed the clerk to write to Bro. Tamplin in regard to his case. Charges were preferred against Bro. Ward and wife for dancing. A

committee consisting of Brethren James Franklin and F. M. Linder to see Bro. Ward and wife. Adjourned.
Hogan Allen Mod. J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk.

Central Church, April 21st, 1888
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. A letter was received from Bro. John Tamplin making acknowledgments to a complaint made against him and asking for a letter of dismission, his acknowledgments received and a letter granted. The committee that was appointed to see Bro. Ward and wife made their report which was received and committee discharged. Bro. Ward and wife made satisfactory concessions to the church. Adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock p.m. Saturday before the fourth Sabbath in May.
Eld. Hogan Allen, moderator; J. R. Rodgers, church clk

Central Church, May 26th, 1888
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last meeting read and adopted. There an invitation was extended for membership. Bro. Mears and wife presented a letter of recommendation from Flat Creek Church which was read and they was received into full fellowship with us. Adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock p.m. Saturday before fourth Sabbath in June.
Elder Hogan Allen, Moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch. clerk

Central Church, June 24, 1888
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The church extended an invitation for membership. On motion Miss Mattie Allen made a report of the money that was collected for the benefit of the church and amount used for the church. Amount collected for the church $36.70, thirty-six dollars and seventy cts. and bill of purchase for the church, 1 heating stove and piping, $8.50; 2 door, 3x7 ft $4.40; 1 pr sash 10+18 in 12 lite $2.25 for total $6.65; 2 pr butts 50 cents, extra screws, 10 cents; two door locks, 80 cents; 2 lamp chimneys at 50 cents, total $1.90; windowlits, 90 cents, putty 25 cents, nails 25 cents, cole oil, 20 cents, total 1.60; and carpenter work, $3.75. Amount used for church, $22.40, leaving the church fourteen dollars and thirty cts. $14.30. The report was received and the church tendered Miss Mattie with vote of thanks and the clerk was appointed by the church to take charge of the money. Adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock, p.m., Saturday before the fourth Sabbath in July.
Elder Hogan Allen, Moderator; J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, July 22nd, 1888
Our pastor having called in his appointment at time above mentioned, we had no preaching nor conference.
John R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, August 25th, 1888
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last June meeting was read and adopted. It being time to elect church officers and messengers to attend the Association, the Election was postponed until Tuesday 6 o'clock p.m. Adjourned. Our meeting was protracted until Tuesday nite and the following persons were added to the church by experience: T. J. Hughen, Willis McDougald, by letter sister Elizabeth Cone. Tuesday, August 28th, 6 o'clock p.m. the church assembled in conference for the purpose of electing church officers and messengers to represent us in the association. Elder G. D. Moore was called to the care of the church. J. R. Rodgers was elected church clerk and treasurer man. Brethren J. M. McDougald, C. A. Knight, and A. Pierce was elected delegates, J. R. Rodgers and Y. H. Allen as alternates and our church petition to the association to be held at our church next year. Bro. Fudge was appointed as committeeman to notify Bro. Moore of his being called to the care of the church. The clerk was authorized by the church to raise money from the treasury to purchase a pitcher, two goblets and a broom for the church. Adjourned, to meet at eleven o'clock Saturday before the fourth Sabbath in September.
Elder Hogan Allen Moderator, J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, September 22nd, 1888
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. The committee that was to notify Bro. Moore if his being called to the care of the church made his report by reading a letter from Bro. Moore stating that he would accept the care of the church and committee discharged. The clerk presented the articles purchase for the church and cost of said articles, one dollar-twenty-five cents. $1.25, which was received. The church pledged $1.50 to be sent to the association for minutes and fifty cents for association purposes. Bro. Y. H. Allen called for a letter of dismission which was granted. Conference adjourned until Sunday. Sunday, Sept. 23rd. After services by Bro. Allen, the church assembled in conference. Called for report of money collected. Bro. Y. H. Allen reported five dollars, sixty-five cents, $5.65, on mission book. The clerk reported one dollar thirty cents $1.30 on minutes. On motion, five dollars $5 for home mission, two dollars fifty cents $2.50 for foreign missions, two dollars fifty cents $2.50 for ministerial education was to be sent to the association. Five dollars $5 was paid from the treasurer of the church to be returned when collected on mission book. The association letter was then read and adopted. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Elder Hogan Allen, Moderator J. R. Rodgers, church clerk

Central Church, Oct. 27, 1888
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd. Called for report of committees, none. 3rd. Called for unfinished business, none. 4th, Called for new or miscellaneous business, none. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Elder G. D. Moore, Moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Nov. 25th, 1888
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference.
1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new or miscellaneous business. None. 4th Bro. E. A. Fudge and wife called for a letter of dismission which was granted. Adjourned to meet at eleven o'clock on Saturday before the fourth Sabbath in December.
Elder G. D. Moore, Moderator Jno. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, Dec. 8th, 1888
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference.
1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for reception of members. None. 3rd Called for granting of letters. None. 4th Called for report of committees. None 5th. Called for unfinished business. Clerk reported fifty five and fifty cents $55.50 was collected and paid to Bro. Allen for his services during last associational year. 6th Called for new or miscellaneous business. None. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Elder G. D. Moore, Moderator Jno. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Feb. 9th 1889
After prayer by W. S. Allen, the church assembled in conference. Our pastor being absent, Bro. J. B. Jackson was elected moderator pro tem. 1st. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd. Called for report of committee. None. 3rd. Called for unfinished business. None. 4th. Called for new or miscellaneous business. 1st. Charges were preferred against Bro. Alonzo McDougald, Ambrose Cone and Sister Maggie and Minnie Brymer for the sin of dancing and Bro. G. C. Cone for the specification of giving a dance. 2nd. A committee was appointed consisting of Brethren W. M. Mears, J. R. Franklin, J. W. Willcoxon to notify the above named brethren and sisters of complaint against them. Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Bro. J. B. Jackson, moderator pro tem, J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, March 9th, 1889
After service by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of a committee which was made and report received and committee discharged. Bro. Alonzo McDougald, Bro. Ambrose Cone and Sister Maggie and Minnie Brymer was present and acknowledged to charges preferred against them. Br. McDougald and Bro. Cone and Sister Maggie Brymer ask the church to exclude them, and the church withdrew fellowship from them. Sister Minnie Brymer made satisfactory concession to the church. Bro. G. C. Cone being absent, his case was referred until next meeting. 3rd Called for new or miscellaneous business. None. Adjourned.

Sunday, March 10. Before services, a collection was taken for the benefit of the Baptist college at Arkadelphia. Three dollars sixty cents $3.60 was collected and paid to Bro.

Moore to forward to that college. Adjourned.
Elder G. D. Moore, mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church May 11th 1889
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st An invitation was offered for membership. 2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for unfinished business. Bro. G. C. Cone was present and acknowledge to charges preferred against him and made satisfactory concessions to the church which was received. Bro. B. L. Carpenter and Augustus Pierce made acknowledgments for using profanity and Bro. James Knight made acknowledgment for non-attendance at church, which was received. 4th. Called for miscellaneous business. None. Adjourned.
Sunday, May 12, at the 11 o'clock service, Bro. William McCauley and Sister H. A. Haltom called for letters of dismission which was granted.
Elder G. D. Moore, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, June 8th 1889
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new or miscellaneous business. None. 4th Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Elder G. D. Moore, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church, July 13th 1889
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting read and adopted 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for unfinished business. None. 4th Called for new business. 1st The clerk was instructed to purchase lamp chimneys, wicks and oil for the lamps of the church. 2nd. The church invited Bro. Frank Wells and Bro. Hogan Allen to meet with us at our August meeting to assist in protracted services a few days. 5th Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Elder G. D. Moore, Moderator. J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church, Aug. 10th 1889
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. None. 3rd Called for unfinished business. None. 4th. Called for new business. 1st The clerk made a report of articles bought for the church. 3 Three lamp chimneys, 1½ one and one-half gallon cole (sic) oil, and one bottle of communion wine and the cost of the articles one dollar sixty-five $1.65 which was received. Conference then adjourned to meet Sunday eve. August 11th, 7 o'clock p.m. The church assembled in conference to elect a pastor and church clerk for the next associational year and delegates to represent us at the association. The election of pastor was referred until next meeting. The church then went into an election for church clerk and delegates to send to the association. J. R. Rodgers was reelected for ch clerk and Jacob McDougald, J. B. Jackson and J. W. Willcoxon was elected as delegates and J. R. Rodgers, T. H. Hughen as alternates. Conference adjourned.

The meeting was protracted for several days by Bro. Moore and Bro. Allen. During the time several was added to the church, to-wit, by letter C. F. Morgan; by restoration, Maggie Brymer; by Experience and Baptism, Ida Vancamp, Ella Stanley, Monroe Smith, Wiley Gamble, Will Linder, John Linder, George Riley, Jas. Wheat, John Williams, Otis McDougald, George McDougald, John Johnson, Ben Willis, Robert Griswold, Ab Knight, Tom Gamble. The above mention was baptized on Sunday the 18 9 o'clock a.m. Then returned to the church and services was continued. Six o'clock p.m., the church assembled in conference to elect a deacon for the church. J. W. Willcoxon was elected as deacon. It was moved and second that at our next meeting we would attend to the ordination of deacon. Elder G. D. Moore and Elder Hogan Allen and J. R. Rodgers was elected as presbytery to attend the ordination of deacon. Conference adjourned. Services was continued and others were added to the church by baptism, to-wit: Tralucia Slocumb, John Simpson, James Coleman, Mrs. Ella Slocomb, Ella Powell, Luna Paine [Payne], Charley Gillick, Robert Knight, Jasper Herren. The last mention was baptized the 21st and services closed at the waters to meet at 3 o'clock p.m. Saturday before the second Sabbath in September
Elder G. W. Moore, moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church Sept. 7, 1889
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference.
1st Elder G. D. Moore, Bro. Mears and Bro. Walter Green was appointed for the presbytery in he ordination of a deacon. Bro. J. W. Willcoxon was then ordained deacon of the church. 2nd An invitation was offered for membership. R. M. Courson was received into the fellowship of the church by experience of grace. 3rd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 4th Called for unfinished business. It being the time set to elect a pastor for the next associational year, the matter was considered and referred until next meeting. 5th Called for new business. 1st The clerk reported three dollars eight-five cnts $3.85 paid by E. T. Johnson collected on mission book making ten dollars twenty cnts $10.20 in the treasure of the church. 2nd Two dollars and fifty cents $2.50 was collected and appropriated for minutes of the association and associational purposes. 3rd The association letter was read and approved. 4th Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference
Elder G. D. Moore, Moderator Jno R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church Oct 12th 1889
After services by Elder G. G. Moore, the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent, Bro. L. A. Lloyd was elected clerk pro tem. 1st Called for unfinished business. 1st It being the time set by the church to elect a pastor the church went into an election for a pastor. Bro. M. A. Gunter was unanimously elected to the care of the church, and the church agreed to pay Bro. M. A. Gunter one hundred and fifty dollars $150.00 for his services for this associational year. And the clerk was to inform Bro. Gunter of his being called to the care of the church and invite Bro. Gunter to meet with us at our next meeting. 2nd Called for new business. 1st Bro. Will Linder made satisfactory

concessions to the church for fighting, Viz. Bro J. W. Willcoxon. 2nd Charges were preferred against Bro. Jack Ward for fighting and a committee consisting of two, Bro. Walter Green and J. B. Jackson was to see Bro. Ward. 3rd Charges were preferred [against] Sister Sallie McPherson, known on the church book as Sallie Buchanan for heresy and a committee consisting of Bro. Willcoxon and Bro. L. A. Lloyd was appointed to see Sister McPherson. 4th Bro. Charley Knight was elected as a delegate to represent us at the Baptist State Convention at Little Rock. 3rd Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Elder G. D. Moore, Moderator L A. Lloyd clerk pro tem Recorded by ch clerk

On Sunday after services by Bro. Moore, the church paid Bro. Allen eight dollars $8.00 from the treasure of this church for his services in this series of meetings in the summer.
J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, Nov. 9th, 1889
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. Bro. Gunter was elected mod pro tem. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committee. 1st Bro. Green and J. B. Jackson made a report which was received and committee discharged. Bro. Ward was present and made satisfactory concessions to the church. 2nd Bro. Willcoxon and Bro. Lloyd made their report which was received and committee discharged and the church withdrew fellowship from Sister McPherson. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Sister Anna Griswold, known on church book as Sister Anna Mosley, for heresy and the church withdrew fellowship from Sister Griswold. 2nd Resolved, that the members of Central Church now in conference do invite Mount Olive Church to unite with the Central Church. 3rd A committee was appointed consisting of three J. W. Willcoxon, L. A. Lloyd and J. R. Franklin to meet with Mt. Olive Church at her next conference to impart to her of the invitation extended by Central Church. 4th Bro. M. A. Gunter accepts the care of the church. 5th Adjourn to meet at eleven o'clock a.m. in Saturday before the second Sabbath in Dec.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, December 7th, 1889
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for the report of the committee that was appointed to meet with Mount Olive Church. Bro. J. W. Williamson reported that Mt. Olive Church received the committee and the invitation was pened (sic) for an [omitted] after consideration. The report was received and committee discharged. 3rd Called for new business. 1st A committee was received from Fellowship Church, consisting of Bro. Wash Cone and Bro. William Bearns asking us to change our time of meeting on account of its interfering with their meeting. The request of the committee was postponed until Sunday conference. Thus adjourned. Sunday, December 8th . After services by Bro. M. A. Gunter, Bro. Gunter by the consent of the church announced that the time of our meeting would

be on Saturday before the third Sabbath of each month.
Elder E. M. Gunter, Moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, January 18th 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting read and adopted. 2nd An invitation was offered for membership. 1st Bro. J. B. Franklin and wife and Bro. Burtin White presented letters of a recommendation from Mount Olive Church, and they was (sic) received into full fellowship of the church and a motion carried that we receive Bro. J. B. Franklin as a deacon. 2nd Bro. Elijah Slocomb and wife presented a letter of recommendation from Flat Creek Church and they were received into full fellowship of the church. 3rd Called for unfinished business. 1st A resolution was offered by Bro. J. R. Rodgers that we recommend Bro. Moore to the Baptist brethren of the state and to have the same published in the *Arkansas Baptist*. 2nd A report was made from Bro. Moore stating the amt. that had been paid to him by the members and the report was turned over to the officers of the church to make a final settlement with Bro. Moore as soon as convenient and to report at next meeting. 3rd A committee was received from Mt. Olive consisting of Bro. Drew Cone stating that they had deemed it improper for them to unite with Central. 4th Called for new business. 1st. Bro. J. W. Willcoxon stated that Bro. James Coleman told him that he had been drunk and that he was very sorry of it and hope the church would forgive him and he would try to do better and the church forgave Bro. Coleman. 2nd Charge was preferred against Bro. Wiley Campbell for the sin of dancing and using profanity and a committee of two was appointed consisting of Bro. J. B. Franklin and Y. W. Willcoxon to see and advise with Bro. Campbell. 3rd Bro. John McDougald made a statement that he had been drunk and ask the church to for give him and the church forgave Bro. John McDougald. 4th A committee of three was appointed consisting of J. R. Rodgers, O. B. Franklin and W. A. Green to investigate general rumors against Bro. Zac Wheat, John Williams and Sam Linder and to report at next meeting. 5th Bro Monroe Smith reported that he had been using profanity and ask the church to for give him and the church forgive (sic) him.6th Charges were preferred against Bro. Will McDougald for the specification of dancing and he asked the church to exclude him and the church withdrew fellowship from Willie McDougald. 7th Conference adjourned. Done by order and on behalf of the church.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator, J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, February 15, 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference.
1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committee that was to see Bro. Wiley Campbell which was made and received, and the church excluded Bro. Wiley Campbell. 3nd. Called for the report of the investigatory com. Bro. J. R. Rodgers reported that Bro. Zac Wheat acknowledge to dancing and getting drunk and ask the church to bear with him until our next meeting. Report received and Bro. Wheat's request granted. Bro. Walter Green reported that he had seen Bro. John Williams and Bro. Williams stated that he would meet with the church at her next meeting. The report

was received and Bro. Williams being absent, the church preferred charges against him for gambling and drunkness and the church withdrew fellowship from him. Bro. O. B. Franklin stated that he had been unable to see Bro. Sam Linder and he was continuing to investigate the rumors against Bro. Linder. 4th Bro. J. R. Rodgers reported that he had made a final settlement with Bro. Moore and the church had paid Bro. Moore one hundred and twenty-five ($125.00) for his last years service. 5th Called for new business. 1st Bro. G. C. Cone called for a letter of dismission for Sister Arrie Granthom, known on the church book as Arrie Cone, which was granted. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Vollie Ridgell for dancing and a committee of one Bro. J. B. Franklin was to see Bro. Ridgell. 3d. Bro. Ben Willis made acknowledgments for dancing and ask the church to for give him and the church forgive Bro. Willis. 6th Adjourned. Done by order and in behalf of the church in conference
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church March 15th 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st The clerk being absent, Bro. J. W. Willcoxon was elected clerk pro tem. 2nd Called for a report of the committees 1st Bro. O. B. Franklin reported that he had not seen Bro. Sam Linder but thought that the rumors was sufficient for the church to exclude him. The church received the report and preferred charges against Bro. Sam Linder for getting drunk and withdrew fellowship from him. Bro. Zac Wheat being absent, the church preferred charges against him for the sins he had acknowledged to and the church withdrew his fellowship from him. 2 Bro. J. B. Franklin reported that he had seen Bro. Ridgell and he said he was sorry he had danced and wanted the church to for give him and the church for give Bro. Ridgell. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Bro. L. A. Lloyd for the sin of fighting and a committee of two, Bro. J. B. Franklin and J. W. Willcoxon, was to notify Bro. Lloyd of the charges against him. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Jasper Herren for dancing and a committee of two Bro. James Franklin and W. A Hughen was to seek Bro.Herren. Adjourned to meet at two o'clock p.m. on Saturday before the third Sabbath in April.
Elder M. A. Gunter, Mod. J. W. Willcoxon, clerk pro tem, recorded by J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church April 11th 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last reading was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of the committee that was appointed to see Bro. L. A. Lloyd. Bro. J. B. Franklin stated that Bro. Lloyd said he had no acknowledgment to make to the church. The report was received and committee discharged and charges preferred against Bro. Lloyd for fighting and the church withdrew fellowship from him. 3rd Bro. James Franklin reported that Bro. Jasper Herren wanted the church to exclude him. Charges was preferred against Bro. Herren for the sin of dancing and the church excluded Bro. Jasper Herren.

4th Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Sister Ida Vancamp for the sin of dancing and a committee of one Bro. Guss Pearce was appointed to see and advise with Sister Ida Vancamp. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Sam Bethune for dancing and a committee of one, Bro. Guss Pearce, was appointed to see Bro. Sam Bethune. 3rd Charge was preferred against Bro. B. L. Carpenter for getting drunk and using profanity and a committee of one Bro Jacob McDougald was appointed to see Bro. Carpenter. 5th Adjourned. Done by order and in the behalf of the church in conference.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church May 1 1890
Service by R. M. Watson, but no conference.
J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, June 14th 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for the report of the committee that was appointed to see Sister Ida Vancamp and Bro. Sam Bethune. The committee was absent and the committee was still continued until next meeting and J. R. Rodgers was added to the committee. 3rd Called for report of the committee that was appointed to see Bro. Carpenter. Bro. Carpenter was present and made satisfactory concessions to the church for his unchristian conduct. 4th Called for new business. None. Adjourned. Done by order and in behalf of the church in conference.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church July 16th 1890
After services by Elder G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. Moore was elected moderator pro tem. 2nd An invitation was offered for membership. Sister Mary Carpenter presented a letter of recommendation from Promise Land Church and she was received into full fellowship with us. 3rd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 4th Called for report of the committee that was to see Sister Ida Vancamp and Bro. Sam Bethune. Committee made a report which was received and committee discharged and the church for give Sister Ida Vancamp and Bro. Sam Bethune. 5th Bro. John Powell made concessions to the church for using profanity and ask the church to for give him and the church for give Bro. John Powell. 6th Called for new business. 1st An invitation was extended to Bro. Hogan Allen and Bro. Moore to preach for us at some time they saw convenient. 7th Adjourned. Done by order of the church in conference.
Elder G. D. Moore, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church August 17th 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st An invitation was offered for membership. Sister I. M. Slocumb presented a letter of recommendation from Promise Land Church and she was received into full fellowship with us. 2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for unfinished

business. None. 4th Called for new or miscellaneous business. 1st Sister Lizzie Gladney ask the church to grant her a new letter as she had lost the one that had been granted her. Her request was received and letter granted. 2nd The church then went into an election for delegates to represent us at the association, which resulted in the choice of E. T. Johnson, J. W. Willcoxon and J. R. Rodgers as delegates and Jacob McDougald, O. B. Franklin, W. A. Green as alternates. 3rd A motion was carried that we send two $2.00 dollars for minutes and associational purposes. 4th A motion was carried that we take up a public collection for missions on the third Sabbath in Sept. Conference then adjourned. Our meeting was protracted by for several days and some was added to the church to-wit, By letter Bro. Culbreath from Holly Spring Church in Bradley Co., Ark., Sister Culbreath from Promise Land Ch.; by Experience and baptism, Sarah Eveans [Eavans], Lizzie Eveans [Eavans], Elma Jackson, Redmon Thornhell. We met at the waters on the 4th Sabbath to attend to the ordinance of baptism. After baptism, adjourned to meet on Saturday before the third Sabbath in Sept.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator, J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Sept. 21st 1890
After service by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st The church taken up a collection for state mission and four $4.10 cts. was collected. 2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd The association letter was read and adopted. 4th A motion was carried that the clerk pay two $2.00 dollars from the treasure for minutes of the association. 5th Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried that we go into an election for the pastor. Bro. Gunter was unanimously elected to the care of the church for an unlimited time and the church a greed to pay Bro. Gunter One Hundred and Fifty ($150.00) dollars per annum if he accepted. 6th Adjourned.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator pro tem Jno. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, Oct. 18th 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges as preferred against Sister Jane Billbo for heresy and a com of two O. B. Franklin and John Powell was to see and advise with Sister Billbo. 2nd Charges was preferred against Sister Nancy Williford for heresy and a com of one, J. W. Willcoxon was to see Sister Williford. 3rd Bro. William Hughen, John Johnson, Sister Lula McDougald was elected as delegates to state convention. 4th Sister Mary Jane Knight and J. B. Jackson, W. M. Mears as delegates to the Sabbath School Convention. 4th Adjourned.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, November 15th 1890
After services by Elder M. A. Gunter, the church assembled in conference. 1st An invitation was offered for membership. Bro. H. H. Dawkins presented a letter of recommendation from Unity Church and he was received into full fellowship with us. 2nd

Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for report of committees. 1st Bro. O. B. Franklin reported that he had failed to see Sister Billbo. Com continued. 2nd J. W. Willcoxon made a report which was received and committee was discharged and the church withdrew fellowship from Sister Nancy Williford. 4th Adjourned.
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator, J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, December 13th 1890
After services by Dr. Manard, the state evangelist, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committee. Bro. O. B. Franklin made a report which was received and the church excluded Sister Jane Billbo, (known on church book as E. J. Taylor) for heresy. 3rd Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried that we elect a superintendent for the Sabbath School for the year A D. 1891. Bro. John Franklin was unanimously elected. 2nd A report was made of collection taken for foreign missions by Sister Emma Knight and J. W. Willcoxon amt $5.00 dol. 4th Adjourned
Elder M. A. Gunter, moderator, J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Jan 11th 1891
Preaching by Elder M. A. Gunter but no conference. The church paid Bro. Gunter for his services for the year 1890 and Bro. Gunter receipted the church in full for same.
J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church Feb and March 1891
No meeting. Cause inclement weather.
J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church, April 11th 1891
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. Harley was appointed moderator pro tem. 2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for references. None. 4th Called for new business. 1st Sister Sallie Smith and Bro. Tom Hughen called for letters of dismission which was granted. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Wiley Buchanan, Jr. for dancing and J. B. Franklin was appointed to notify Bro. Buchanan of the charges against him. 3rd Charges was preferred against Bro. Ben Willis for dancing and J. R. Rodgers was to notify Bro. Willis of the charges against him. 4th Charges was preferred against Sister May Smith for dancing and a committee of one, Bro. J. W. Willcoxon was to notify Sister Smith of the charges against her. 5th Charges was preferred against Sister Thella Lloyd for dancing and a com of one J. R. Rodgers was to notify Sister Thella of the charges against her. 6th A motion was carried that we go into an election for a pastor for the remainder of this associational year which resulted in the choice of Elder Hogan Allen. 7th A motion was carried that we pay Bro. Allen Sixty ($60.00) dollars for his services if he accepts the care of the church and J. R. Rodgers was to notify Bro. Allen of the action of the church. Adjourned.
Bro. H. Harley, mod pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clk.

Central Church May 11th 1891
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference, and 1st Bro. Allen accepted the care of the church. 2nd An invitation was extended for membership. Bro. Hiram Gregory, Sister Laura Gregory and Sister Cora Thompson presented letters of dismission from Sardis Church and they was received into full fellowship with us. 3rd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 4th Called for report of committees. 1st Bro. J. B. Franklin reported that he had heard from Bro. Buchanan and he acknowledged to dancing and felt that he had not sinned in the act. Bro. Franklin was continued until next meeting to correspond with Bro. Buchanan and show to him the evil in dancing. 2nd J. R. Rodgers reported that he had failed to see Bro. Ben Willis and he was continued until next meeting. 3rd Sister Maggie Smith made satisfactory concessions to the church for dancing. 4th Sister Thella Lloyd made satisfactory concessions for dancing. 5th Called for new business. None. 6th Adjourned.
Elder Hogan Allen, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church June 13th 1891
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of com. 1st Bro. J. B. Franklin stated that he had written to Bro. Buchanan but had not heard from him. Bro. Franklin was continued until next meeting. 2nd J. R. Rodgers made a report which as received and the church withdrew fellowship from Bro. Willis. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. Hiram Gregory was appointed to write an essay to be read at the next district meeting. (Subject) Why was the disciples first called Christians at Antioch. 4th Adjourned
Elder Hogan Allen, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church July 11th 1891
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. 1st Bro. J. B. Franklin reported that he not heard any more from Bro. Wiley Buchanan. Report was received and the church withdrew fellowship from Bro. Buchanan, Jr., for the sin of dancing. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. G. C. Cone called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 2nd Sister Josephine Pritchard called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 3rd The church invited Bro. White of Monticello to meet with her on our next regular time of meeting to assist Bro. Allen in a series of meetings. J. R. Rodgers was to inform Bro. White of the invitation. Adjourned
Hogan Allen, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, August 8th 1891
After services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. 1st An invitation extended for membership. Sister Hellen Mitchell presented a letter of dismission from Camden Baptist Church and she was received in full fellowship with us.2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted.3rd Called for unfinished business. None. 4th Called for new business. 1st Bro. John Linder made a statement by Bro. Allen

that he had been guilty of unchristian conduct and he was sorry for it and wanted the church to for give him. The statement was received and the church for give Bro. Linder. 2nd Charges were preferred against Bro. George Riley and Will Linder for trespassing on Bro. Dave Williamson's place after nite and the deacons was to notify them of the charges against them. 3rd Called for report of treasurerman which was made. Amt on hand, 20 cts. It was appropriated to the church to buy oil for lamps. 4th The treasurer man was authorized to sell 2 small sashes that belong to the church. Adjourned Allen Mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clk

The meeting was protracted until the 16th by Bros. Allen and White and several was added to the church, to-wit, by restoration Will McDougald, Jasper Herren, Ambrose Cone, Zac Wheat, John Williams. By experience and baptism Carlton Jennings, Tom McDougald, Henry Harmon, Young Lloyd, Rufus Jordan, Elaska Herren, Robert Mosley, Martha [unreadable] Street, Willis Lloyd, Mattie Griswold, Siddie Mathews [Sidney Matthews], [no first name] Goldman, Ida Franklin.

Adjourned

Elder Y. H. Allen, moderator J. R. Rodgers chk clerk

Central Church Sept. 12th 1891

Afer services by Elder Hogan Allen, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. Bro. George Riley and Willie Linder made satisfactory concessions to the church for charges against them. 3rd Called for new business. Bro. Charley Gillick, Jasper Herren and Willie Linder called for letters of dismission which was granted. 2 The church went in to an election for delegates to represent us in the association which resulted in the choice of Brethren J. B. Jackson, W. M. Mears, Jacob McDougald, as principals. J. H. Johnson, Otis McDougald and Charley Knight as alternates. 3rd. One dollar and fifty cts. ($1.50) was appropriated for minutes of the association. 4th Conference adjourned to meet on Sunday, 11 o'clock, a.m. Sunday, Sept. 13th. After services by Bro. Allen, 11 o'clock a.m, the church assembled in conference 1st Six Dollars ($6.00) was appropriated for mishions (sic). 2nd The association letter was read and adopted. Adjourned

Hogan Allen Mod. J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Oct. Nov. and December, 1891.

No Conference

Jno. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, Jan 9th 1892

After prayer by Bro. Allen, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. Allen was elected mod pro tem. 2nd Minute of Sept. of 1891 was read and adopted. 3rd Called for references. None. 4th Called for new business. 1st The church invited Bro. Moore to meet with her on Sunday to have services. 2nd Conference adjourned until Sunday.

Hogan Allen, moderator pro tem Jno. R. Rodgers, ch clk

Sunday, Jan 10. After services by Bro. Moore 11 o'clock a. m., the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. Moore was elected moderator pro tem. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st The church went into an election for a pastor for the year 1892. Bro. E. E. Smith was elected to the care of the church. Bro. J. B. Franklin and Charley Knight was to notify Bro. Smith of the action of the church. 2nd J. B. Franklin was elected superintendent of the Sabbath School for year 1892. Adjourned
G. D. Moore, moderator pro tem Jno R. Rodgers ch clk.

Central Church Feb. 14th 1892
Services by Bro. E. E. Smith, but no conference. Bro. Smith accepted the care of the church.
Jno. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, March 12th 1892
After services by Bro. E. E. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. James Coleman made satisfactory concessions to the church for getting drunk by Bro. Mears. 2nd Bro. Zac Wheat stated that he was guilty of unchristian conduct and was sorry for it and wanted the church to for give (sic) him and the church for give (sic) him. 3rd Bro. John Williams made satisfactory concessions to the church for getting drunk. 4th Elasca Herren made satisfactory concessions to the church for dancing by Bro. J. B. Jackson. 5th Charges was preferred against Sister Luna Williams for the sin of dancing and a committee of one, W. A. Green, was to notify Sister Williams of the charges against her. 6th Charges was preferred against Bro. Rufus Jordan for dancing. He was present and stated that he wasn't sorry for it and the church excluded Bro. Rufus Jordan for the sin of dancing. 7th Bro. Vollie Ridgell made satisfactory concessions to the church for getting drunk and using profanity. 8th A motion was carried that we pay Bro. E. E. Smith one hundred and twenty-five dollars ($125.00) for his services for the year 1892. Conference adjourned.
E.E. Smith, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church April 7th 1892
After services by Elder E. E. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of the committee that was to see Sister Luna Williams. Committee made report which was received and committee discharged and the church forgave Sister Luna Williams. 3rd Called for new business. Sisters Dora, Thella and Willie Lloyd called for letters of dismission which was granted. 4th Conference adjourned.
E.E. Smith, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Sunday, April 10.
After services by Bro. Smith, a collection was taken for faren (sic) mishions (sic). Two dollars 30 cnts ($2.30) was collected and paid to Bro. J. B. Franklin to send to the Faren (sic) Mishion (Sic) Bord (sic). Adjourned. E.E. Smith, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, May 8th 1892
Services by Bro. E. E. Smith, but no conference.
J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Church, June 11th 1892
After services by Elder E. E. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Sister Elma Jackson and Bro. Elasca Herren for dancing and a committee of one H.A. Hughen was to notify them of the charges against them. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. George Riley for using profanity and a committee of one J. B. Franklin was to notify Bro. George Riley of the charges against him. 3rd Bro. Bob Griswold made satisfactory concessions to the church for fighting and using profanity. 4th Charges were preferred against Sister Ella Williams for heresy and the church withdrew fellowship from her. 5th Charges was preferred against Bro. Morgan for unchristian conduct and the church withdrew fellowship from him. Conference adjourned.
Sunday, June 12th Bro. E. E. Smith and Sister Abbie Smith presented a letter of recommendation from Lake Village Church and they was received into full fellowship with us. Adjourned.
E.E. Smith, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church July 9th 1892
After prayer by Bro. J. B. Franklin, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. J. H. Willcoxon was elected moderator pro tem. 2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for report of committees. 1st Bro. H. A. Hughen made a report which was received and the church withdrew fellowship from Sister Elma Jackson and Bro. Elasca Herren for the sin of dancing. 2nd Bro. J. B. Franklin was continued to see Bro. George Riley. 4th Called for new business. None. Adjourned.
J. H. Willcoxon, mod pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Aug 13th 1892
After services by Bro. G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st. Bro. J. B. Franklin reported that Bro. George Riley stated that he would meet with the church and answer to charges against him but he was absent and the church continued his case until next meeting. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Sister Sidnie Mathews [Sidney Matthews] for the sin of dancing and a committee of one O. B. Franklin was appointed to notify her of the charges against her. 2nd Bro. Monroe Smith made satisfactory concessions to the church for his unchristian conduct. 3rd Bro. John Linder stated that he had not been living right and wanted the church to for give him. The church for gave Bro. Linder. 4th Bro. E. E. Smith tendered his resignation as pastor on the account of ill health. The resignation was considered but not granted as the church thought arrangements could be made to supply Bro. Smith's appointments. 5th The church then invited Bro. Moore to meet with her on her next regular meeting day to fill Bro.

Smith's appointment. Adjourned.
G. D. Moore, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church Christ Sept 10th 1892
After services by Eld. G. D. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st An opportunity was offered for membership. Sister A. L. Rodgers presented a letter of recommendation from Mt. Olive Baptist Church and she was received in full fellowship with the church. 2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for References 1st Bro. George Riley made satisfactory concessions to the church for using profanity. 2nd Bro. O. B. Franklin made a report which was received and com discharged and the church withdrew fellowship from Sister Sidnie [Sidney] Matthews for the specification of dancing. 4th Called for new business. 1st. The church went into an election for delegates to represent her at the association. Bro. E. E. Smith, J. B. Franklin and Otis McDougald as principals, J. W. Willcoxon and J. H. Johnson as alternates. 2nd One Dollar ($1.00) was appropriated for minutes and associational purposes. 3nd. Conference adjourned to meet on Thursday the 15th for the purpose of electing a pastor for the year 1893.
G. D. Moore, moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Ch. Sept. 15. The church assembled in conference for the purpose of electing a pastor. 1st A motion was carried that we elect by nomination. 2nd Bro. T. W. Adams was put in nomination and he was unanimously elected for the year 1893. 3rd A committee consisting of the officers of the church and J. H. Johnson and Lula McDougald was appointed to see how much could be raised to pay Bro. Adams for his services for the year 1893. Conference adjourned. Our meeting was protracted from the 10th until 17th and our church was greatly revived and several was added to the church, to-wit, by restoration, Sidnie Matthews, By letter, F. P. Courson, By Experience and Baptism, Annie Gamble, Flora McGill, Lillie Fergerson, Mattie Hathaway, Evie Rolling, Will McGill, Ed Mears, George Mears, Erastus McDougald, Dan Williams, Columbus Courson, James Beavers, R. M. Griswold.

Central Church, 17th Sept. assembled in conference. 1st Association letter was read and adopted. 2nd The committees that was appointed to see how much could be raised for Bro. Adams reported that with a little more time they could raise a sufficient amount to employ Bro. Adams for half of his time. The com was continued. 3rd A motion was carried that we employ Bro. Adams for one Saturday and two Sundays in each month and pay Bro. Adams two hundred and fifty ($250). dollars for that time. Conference adjourned.
Elder E. E. Smith, mod J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Sept. 20th 1892
After services by Bro. Adams, an invitation was offered for membership. James Cone and Ammy Mitchell was received by experience and baptism and Sister Eliza Courson by letter. Bro. Adams moderator pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ October 8th 1892
After services by Bro. E. E. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd. Called for new business. 1st A motion was made by Bro J. B. Franklin and carried that where as some one has rumors afloat detrimental to Bro. Adams' Christian character, resolved that Central Church place a copy of the statement from Miss Mollie Walker which exonerates him in our record book for future reference. 2nd Copy presented. Exact copy. This is to certify that I herewith exonerate Bro. Adams from all rumors of intimacy in any way between he and my self. And his treatment of me has been that of a Christian and of a gentleman. Respectfully. Mollie Walker, Berea, Ark. Sept. 24th, 1892. 3rd Conference adjourned.
Elder E. E. Smith, mod J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Nov. 12th 1892
After services by E. E. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro H. H. Dawkins called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Bob Griswold for profanity and a committee Bro. J. B. Franklin and R. T. Moseley was to notify him of the charges against him. 3rd Bro. George McDougald asked the church to withdraw fellowship from him and a committee of two J. B. Franklin and R. T. Moseley was to see Bro. George McDougald and notify the church of his reasons for such request. 4th A motion was carried that we have services on the 1st and 3rd Sabbath of each month and Saturday before the 1st Sabbath for the year 1893. 5th Bro. Dams accept the care of the church for 1893. 4th Conference adjourned.
Elder E. E. Smith, mod J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Dec. 11th 1892
After services by Bro. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committee. 1st Bro. Franklin and Bro. Moseby made report in regard to Bro. Bob Griswold which was received and the church withdrew fellowship from Bro. Griswold for charges against him. 2nd Committee made report stating that Bro. George McDougald was not satisfied with his conversion. Report received and the church withdrew fellowship from Bro. George McDougald. 3rd Called for new business. 1st A committee was appointed consisting of J. R. Franklin and E. T. Johnson to investigate general rumors against Bro. Zac Wheat and John Williams for drunkness, profanity and dancing and report at the next meeting. 4th The church settled with Bro. E.E. Smith for his services for 1892. 5th Adjourned.
Elder E. E. Smith, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Dec 25th 1892
Preaching by Bro. R. B. Hewett. Missionary and the church paid Bro. Hewett three ($3.60) for associational missions.
J. R. Rodgers, ch. clk

Central Baptist Church of Christ January 1st 1893
Services by Bro. T. W. Adams, no conference
Jno R. Rodgers, ch. clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ January 15th 1893
Services by Bro. T. W. Adams, but no conference.
J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Feb. 4th 1893
After services by Bro. Adams, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of Dec. 1892 was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. Bro. Franklin and E. T. Johnson made a report which was received and com discharged. And the church perfered (sic) charges against Bro. Zac Wheat and John Willis for drunkness (sic), profanity and dancing and with drew fellowship from them. 3rd Called for new business. 1st. Bro. Vollie Ridgell made satisfactory concessions to the for getting drunk. 2nd Bro. John Slocumb made satisfactory concessions for getting drunk. 3rd Bro. Tobe Courson made satisfactory concessions for getting drunk. 4th Sister Sidnie Matthews made satisfactory concessions for dancing by Bro. Adams. 5th Charges was preferred against Young Lloyd, Dan Williams and Sister Flora McGill for dancing and a committee Bro. J. B. Franklin and E. T. Johnson was to notify them of the charges against them. 6th Charges was preferred against Bro. George Riley and Ab Knight for drunkness and a committee Bro. J. B. Franklin and E. T. Johnson was to notify them of charges against them. 7th A committee of two J. W. Willcoxon and J. R. Rodgers was appointed to investigate general rumors against Bro. Rad Courson and Sam Bethune for drunkness. 4th Conference adjourned.
Elder T. W. Adams, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Feb. 19th 1893
Services by Bro. T. W. Adams, no conference
J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ March 4th 1893
After services by Bro. Adams, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. 1st Bro. J. B. Franklin and E. T. Johnson made their report which was received and they was discharged. 1st Bro. Young Lloyd case was tabled. 2nd Bro. Dan Williams was excluded for charges preferred against him. 3rd Sister Flora McGill made satisfactory concessions for dancing. 4th Bro. George Riley case was referred until next meeting. 5th Bro. Ab Knight was excluded for the charges against him. 2nd Bro. Willcoxon reported that Bro. Rad Courson and Bro. Sam Bethune denied the rumors against them. Report received and committee discharged. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Bro. Rad Courson for giving a dance and a committee J. H. Willcoxon and E. T. Johnson was to notify him of the charges. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Monroe Smith for dancing and a committee of one J. R. Rodgers was to notify him of the charges against him. 4th

Conference adjourned.
T. W. Adams, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central March 19, 1893
After services by Bro. Adams an opportunity was offered for membership. Anna Johnson was received on her experience of grace and a candidate for baptism.
Bro. T. W. Adams, mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Baptist Church of Christ April 1st 1893
After services by Bro. Adams, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Bro. Young Lloyd's case was taken up, and the church withdrew fellowship from him. 3rd Called for report of committees. 1st The committee that was to see Bro. Courson made a report which was received and the committee was continued. 2nd The committee that was to see Bro. George Riley was continued. 3rd The committee that was to notify Bro. Monroe Smith made a report which [was] received and his case was continued until next meeting. 4th Called for new business. 1st Bro. H. A. Gregory and Sister Laura Gregory and Sister Cora Thompson called for letters of dismission which was granted. 5th Conference adjourned.
T. W. Adams, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central April 15th 1893
After services by Bro. Adams, an invitation was offered for membership. 1st Sister Susie Linder presented a letter of recommendation from Mt. Olive Baptist Church and she was received in full fellowship. 2nd Sister Effie McDougald presented a letter of recommendation from Hamburg Baptist Church and she was received into full fellowship with the church. 3rd A collection was taken up for foreign missions and turned over to Bro. Adams to forward to the Foreign Missions Board was collected and paid to Bro. Adams. Adjourned.
T. W. Adams, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ May 6th 1893
After services by Bro. Adams, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of com that was to see Bro. Rad Courson, report made and received and Bro. Courson case was tabled. 3rd Bro. Monroe Smith case was continued until next meeting. 4th Bro. George Riley case was tabled until next meeting. 3rd Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried that the church elect a superintendent to fill out Bro. Franklin's time for the year 1893. Bro. Tom Gamble was elected superintendent of the Sabbath school. 4th Conference adjourned.
T. W. Adams, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ May 21st 1893
Services by Bro. Adams. No conference.
T. W. Adams, mod J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ June 3rd 1893
After services by Bro. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st The church withdrew fellowship from Bro. Monroe Smith for the charges against him. 2nd Bro. George Riley's case was taken up and the church withdrew fellowship from him. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. Adams made public acknowledgments for unbecoming conduct. To wit: (exact copy) Brethren, I wish thus publicly to make acknowledgments for unbecoming behavior. (I Pet. 5:14). I am sorry to have acted thus and with Paul can say. "That which I do I allow not, but what I would not that I do." But I delight in the law of the Lord in the inner man (Rom. 7:15-21). As I am not a member with you, I ask that my acknowledgments be recorded and then tabled to be acted on in future, at which time I ask to be forgiven. The offended parties themselves having given a written statement that I am forgiven. T. W. Adams. His request was granted and motion was carried to forgive him. 2nd Bro. Smith was appointed to write an essay to be read at the next district meeting and to select his subject to write on. 3rd Conference adjourned.
T. W. Adams, mod. Jno. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church June 4th 1893
After services by Bro. Adams, the church assembled in conference. A motion was carried that we license Bro. Bob Moseley to preach at our church. Adjourned.
T. W. Adams, mod J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ June 18th 1893
Services by Bro. Adams, but no conference.
T. W. Adams, mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ July 1st 1893
After services by Bro. Adams, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st. Bro. Adams tendered his resignation to the church which was tabled. 2nd Bro. B. L. Carpenter ask the church to withdraw fellowship from him for unchristian conduct. His request was tabled for next meeting. 4th Conference adjourned.
T. W. Adams, Mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clk.

Central Baptist Church of Christ August 5th 1893
After prayer by Bro. J. W. Willcoxon, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Bro. Adams' resignation was taken up and the church accepted it. 3rd Bro. B. L. Carpenter's case was postponed until next meeting. 4th Bro. Rad Courson's case was taken from the table and the church withdrew fellowship from him. 5th Called for new business. 1st The church preferred charges against Sister Mattie Griswold for the sin of dancing. A committee of one W. A. Green was appointed to notify her of the charges against her. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. John Powell for unchristian conduct and a committee of one W. A. Hughen was to notify him

of the charges. 3rd Charges was preferred against Bro. Columbus Courson for the sin of profanity and Bro. Ward was to notify him of the charges. 4th Conference adjourned to meet at the regular time of conference.
J. W. Willcoxon, mod pro tem Jno. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church of Christ Sept. 3rd 1893
After services by Bro. Watson, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was conferred until next meeting. 2nd Called for new business. 1st The church went into the election of delegates to represent us at the association. Bro. J. W. Willcoxon, E. T. Johnson and R. M. Moseby was elected as delegates. 2nd One dollar ($1.35) was collected for minutes and associational purposes. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet on the 17th of Sept.
R. M. Watson, moderator pro tem Jno R. Rodgers, ch clk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Sept. 17th 1893
Afer Sabbath School, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. J. W. Willcoxon was elected as moderator pro tem. 2nd Bro. E. E. Smith and Sister Abbie Smith called for letters of dismission which was granted. 3rd One-forty ($1.40) was collected for home mishions (sic). 4th The association letter was then read and adopted. 5th Conference then adjourned to meet soon after the association at a call conference for the purpose of electing a pastor.
J. W. Willcoxon, moderator pro tem Jno R. Rodgers, ch clk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Oct. 8th 1893
After service by Bro. E. T. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference for the purpose of electing a pastor for the next associational year. 1st Bro. Mitchell was elected as mod pro tem. 2nd The church then went into the election of a pastor. Bro. Mitchell was put in nomination and he was unanimously elected for the associational year of 1893 and Bro Mitchell accepted the care of the church. 4th Conference adjourned to meet on Saturday before the first Sabbath in Nov at the regular time of conference.
Elder E. T. Mitchell, moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clk.

Central Church of Christ November 4th 1893
After services by Bro. E. T. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Bro. B. L. Carpenter's case was taken up and the church withdrew fellowship from him for unchristian conduct. 2nd Committee that was to see Sister Mattie Griswold made a report which was received and the church excluded her for the sin of dancing. 3rd Committee that was to notify Bro. John Powell was absent and his case was continued until next meeting. 4th The committee that was to notify Bro. Columbus Courson made a report which was received and Bro. Courson's case was referred until next meeting. 5th Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Sister Sarah Eavins [Eavans] for unchristian conduct and the church withdrew fellowship from her. 2nd A motion was carried that we change our hour for conference from 3 o'clock p.m. to 11 o'clock a.m. 3rd

Conference adjourned to meet at 11 o'clock on Saturday before the first Sabbath in Dec.
Elder E. T. Mitchell Moderator Jno. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Baptist Church of Christ Dec. 3rd 1893
Preaching by Bro. Mitchell. Conference refered (sic) until next meeting. J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ January 6th 1894
After service by Elder E. T. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Bro. John Powell was absent and his cases was conferred until next meeting. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Lum Courson for drunkness and profanity and the church withdrew fellowship from him. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Bro. Otis McDougald for drunkness and dancing. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. Will McGill for dancing and the clerk was to notify Bro. Otis McDougald and Bro. Will McGill of the charges against them. 3rd Conference adjourned.
Elder E. T. Mitchell Mod T. G. Gamble, clerk pro tem

Central Church Feb 3rd 1894
After service by Bro. E. T. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st Bro. John Powell made satisfactory concessions to the church for the charges against him. 2nd Bro. Otis McDougald was present and made a statement (to wit) that he was sorry for getting drunk but was not sorry that he danced. The church withdrew fellowship from him for the sin of dancing. 3rd Bro. Will McGill was absent and his case was conferred until next meeting. 2nd Called for new business. 1st J. W. Willcoxon, T. G. Gamble, and J. R. Rodgers was appointed to examine the church record and make a report of all the unknown members. 2nd A motion was carried that the church at her next meeting take some actions in regard to building a new church house. 3rd Conference adjourned.
Elder E. T. Mitchell Mod J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church March 3th 1894
After services by Bro. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st Bro. Will McGill was absent and his case was conferred until next meeting. 3rd The committee that was to examine the church record ask for more time which was granted. 4th Called for references in regard to building a new house. 1st A resolution was carried, to-wit, Resolve that we will build a new church house as soon as we conveniently can. 2nd. A motion was carried that the church decide at her next conference where they will build at. 3rd A motion was carried that we change conference hours from eleven 11:00 a.m. to 2 o'clock p.m. Conference adjourned.
E. T. Mitchell Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church March 31st 1894
After services by Bro. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st Bro. Will McGill case was conferred until next meeting. 3rd The committee made a report on the unknown members which was received and comt discharged. The names was conferred until next meeting. 4th Called for references on building. 1st A motion was made and second that we move and build at or near Berea. A motion was carried that conference adjourn. Adjourned until next meeting.
E. T. Mitchell Moderator J. W. Willcoxon, clerk

Central Church May 5th 1894
After services by Bro. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for motions made on moving and building at Berea. Motion carried that we move and build at or near Berea. 2nd Bro. Will McGill's case was taken up and the church withdrew fellowship from him. 3rd The list of unknown members was conferred until next meeting. 4th Called for new business. 1st. A committee consisting of Brethren Jacob McDougald, F. M. Linder, E. W. Slocumb, James Knight, J. B. Jackson, J. C. Jennings to select a place to build the new church house. 2nd A committee consisting of Brethren Charley Knight, T. G. Gammel, J. W. Willcoxon, W. M. Mears, E. T. Johnson, J. A. Cone and Sister Emma Knight as a finance committee. 3rd A committee consisting of Brethren E. J. Johnson, J. R. Rodgers, J. C. Jennings, J. W. Willcoxon as a building committee. Conference adjourned.
E. T. Mitchell Moderator J. W. Willcoxon, clerk pro tem

Central Church June 2nd 1894
After services by Bro. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st A motion was carried that there be a page appropriated on the church record to keep a list of all the unknown members. 2nd Called for report of location committee. The committee asked for more time which was granted and J. R. Rodgers was added to the location committee. 3rd The finance and building com. continued. 4th Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried that the location committee must locate buy and receive a deed [for land] for the church house to be built on. Conference adjourned.
E. T. Mitchell Mod J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church June 30th 1894
After services by Bro Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The committees was continued. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Sister Ruth Ragans called for a letter of dismission which was granted. Conference adjourned.
E. T. Mitchell Mod J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church August 5th 1894
After services by Bro. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of

last meeting was referred until next meeting. 2nd Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried that we would protract our services commencing on Saturday at eleven o'clock a.m. before the fourth Sabbath in Aug. 2nd Conference adjourned.
E. T. Mitchell Mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church August 25th 1894
After services by Bro. Mitchell, a motion was made to go in conference to attend to some new business. 1st John McDougald, Sister Bettie Culbreath, Sister Collen Etheridge, known on ch book as Colen Allen and Bro. Frank Slocumb and is wife called for letters of dismission which was granted. 2nd The church invited Bro. Simms to assist Bro. Mitchell in a series of meetings. 3rd Conference adjourned.
This meeting was protracted until 2nd of Sept. Our church was spiritually moved and several was aded (sic) to the church, to wit, by restoration, T. J. Brymer, Otis and George McDougald, Rad Courson, Ben Willis, Ab Knight, Ella Williams known on ch rec as Ella Stanley, Elma Jackson, George Riley; by voucher, Sirah McDougald; by restoration, John Beavers, Edward Sellers, by letter B. F. Cartlege, Amanda Cartlege, A. J. Roberts, Mary Roberts, by baptism Lula Anders, Allie Paterson, Anna Stanley, Denia Beavers, Mattie Smith, Georgia Brymer, James Lloyd, Odie Mitchell, Gus Gammel and Bob McDougald. The church assembled in conference on the 1st of Sept for the purpose of electing delegates to represent us at the association which resulted in the choice of Bro. John Willcoxon, Robert Moseby and Otis McDougald as principal and Edward Johnson, Walter Green as alternates. Conference then adjourned to meet again on the second Sabbath in Sept for the purpose of electing a pastor for the next associational year.
E. T. Mitchell Mod J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church Sept. 9th 1894
After Sabbath School, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. J. W. Willcoxon was elected moderator. 2nd The church went into the election of a pastor for the next associational year. Bro. J. W. Sims was elected to the care of the church. 3rd The church agreed to pay Bro. Sims One hundred $100 for his services if he accepted the care of the church and J. R. Rodgers was to notify Bro. Sims of the action of the church. 4th One Dollar and eighty five-cents $1.85 was collected for minutes and associational purposes. 5th The associational letter was read and adopted. 6th Sister Mary Carpenter called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 7th The church agreed to pay Bro. Mitchell one hundred $100.00 dollar for his services for the associational year. 8th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Willcoxon mod pro tem J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Oct .7th 1894
After services by Bro. Mitchell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was referred until next meeting. 2nd. Bro. Culbreath made satisfactory concessions for his non attendance at church and called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 3rd Bro. Rube Griswold and Sister Hellen Griswold known on the ch rec as Hellen Mitchell, called for letters of dismission which was granted. 4th Bro. John

Willcoxon made a statement to the church for Bro. Sims that he would accept the care of the church at her proposition. Conference adjourned.
E. T. Mitchell Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church Nov. 8th 1894
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Called for minute of last meetings. 2nd. The minutes of June 30, Aug. 5, Aug. 25 and Sept. 9 was read and adopted. 3rd A motion was carried to refer the Oct minutes and references on above dated minutes until next meeting. 4th Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred against Bro. Harman for the sin of dancing and the church withdrew fellowship from him. 2nd Charges was preferred against Bro. James Cone for using profanity and a committee of two Bro. Bob Moseby and T. G. Gammel was to notify him of the charges. 3rd A committee was appointed consisting to T. J. Brymer and J. W. Willcoxon and J. R. Rodgers to investigate rumors against Bro. Charley Knight for selling whiskey and wine. 4th A motion was carried to change conference time from 2 o'clock p.m. to eleven o'clock a.m. Conference adjourned.
Bro. J. B. Sims Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church December 8th 1894
After services by Bro. Bolding, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of October 7th and Nov. 8th was read and adopted. 2nd Called for Reference. On the June minutes of the 30th, committees not prepared to make a report. The committees continued until next meeting. 3rd Called for references on minutes of Nov. 8th. 1st Bro. James Cone was present and made satisfactory concessions for charges against him. 2nd Bro. Charley Knight was present and acknowledged selling wine and made no acknowledgment and the church preferred charges against him and withdrew fellowship from him. 4th Called for new business. 1st. Bro. F. M. Linder was present and acknowledged to selling wine and stated that he was not sorry for it. The church preferred charges against Bro. Linder for the sin of selling wine and the church withdrew fellowship from Bro. Linder for charges against him. 2nd The delegates that went to the association reported the pledges they made for missions. The church accepted the report and promise to pay the pledges. 5th Conference adjourned.
Bro. Sims, mod. J. W. Willcoxon clerk pro tem

Central Church January 12th 1895
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. The location, building and finance committees was continued until next meeting. 3rd Called for new business. 1st. A motion was carried that we elect a superintendent for the Sabbath School for the year 1895. Bro. O. B. Franklin was elected but would not accept it. 2nd A motion was carried that we refer the elections until next meeting. 3rd Bro. James Cone, Sister Lillie Cone his wife, known on church record as Lillie Ferguson called for letters of dismission which was granted. 4th A motion was carried that at our next meeting the church would make some disposal of the church committees. 5th. Bro. Bob Moseby made acknowledgments

for acting unchristianly and ask for the church to for give him. The church for give Bro. Bob. 6th Bro. Jack Ward made acknowledgments for using profanity and ask to be for given. The ch for give Bro. Ward. 7th A motion was carried that we rescind the action of receiving Bro. John Beavers and Bro. Edward Sellars under the watch care of the church, that we withdraw fellowship from them. 4th Conference adjourned.
Bro. J. W. Sims Mod J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church Feb. 9th 1895
After services by Bro. J. W. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st Called for report of location committee. J. R. Rodgers reported that the committee agreed on a place, but failed to get the land they agreed on and that Bro. James Knight offered land to the committee for the church. But the committee did not agree on the land as a suitable place. Report received and committee discharged. 2nd Called for report of building committee. Bro. E. T. Johnson reported that they had been prepared to make a report but was not prepared at present. A motion was carried to discharge the building and finance committee. 3rd A motion was made to appoint a new location committee. Motion lost. 4th A motion was made by Bro. Green and second by Bro. Mears that we rescind the action of moving and building. After some discussion, the motion was withdrawn. 5th Bro. Otis McDougald was elected superintendent of the Sabbath School for the year 1895. Called for new business. 1st Bro. Gus Gammel and Bro. James Lloyd made acknowledgments to the church for dancing and ask for forgiveness. The church for give them. 6th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims Mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church, March 8th 1895
After services by Bro. J. W. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st An opportunity was offered for membership. Sister Mary Brymer presented a letter of recommendation from Beech Creek Baptist Church and she was received in full fellowship with us. 2nd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for references. None. 4th Called for new business. 1st Bro. E. T. Johnson offered a resolution to wit, Resolved that whereas the committee failed to get land Resolve that we accept of the land Bro. James Knight offered to the church as our location. Resolution was adopted. 2nd J. R. Rodgers was appointed to get a deed from Bro. Knight for the church. 3rd Bro. Jack Ward and wife called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th Conference adjourned.
Bro. J. W. Sims, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church April 13th 1895
After service by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was referred until next meeting. 2nd Called for new business. 1st Sister Serah McDougald called for a letter of dismission which was granted. Walter Green and wife called for letters of dismission which was granted. 2nd Bro. Bob Moseby called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 3rd Bro. Mitchell made a statement to the church, to wit, that if the church would pay him ten dollars more that he would be satisfied and

the church agreed to pay the ten dollars. 4th A motion was made to change conference from eleven o'clock a.m. to 3 o'clock p.m. Conference adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock p.m. on Saturday before second Sabbath in May.
J. W. Sims, moderator Otis McDougald clerk pro tem Recorded by J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church May 11th 1895
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of March and April meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. J. R. Rodgers reported that he had received a deed of the land that Bro. James Knight give the church. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Sister Saleta Franklin, Bro. B. T. Willis and wife known on church record as Minnie Griswold called for letters of dismission which was granted. 2nd A committee of three J. R. Rodgers, E. T. Johnson and J. B. Jackson to decide on the size of the new church house and give the dimensions at our next meeting. 3rd Conference adjourned. J. W. Sims moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Warranty Deed With Relinquishment of Dower
Know all Men by These Presents:
That we James Knight and G. A. Knight, his wife, for consideration for the love and respect they bear for Central Missionary Baptist Church do convey and deliver to the said Central Church the following lot or tracts of land lying in the county of Ashley and state of Arkansas, to-wit: Commencing mid-way on the East boundary line of the NW of SW of Section 2 Township 16, Range 6 W. running thence South on a true line one hundred and forty yards. Thence West (North or South) sixty four yards (64) to a ravine. Which ravine shall be the line running northward one hundred and five yards to line of Hundley lot. Thence Eastward to starting point one hundred and thirty-two yards, containing two acres and half more or less. To hold and to have the same with all its appertances so long as said church shall use it for the church purposes and I, James Knight and wife, G. A. Knight, shall and will warrant and defend the same to said church all lawful claims whatsover. In witness whereof, we hereunto set our hands and seal.
Witness our hands and seals on this 11 day of May, 1895.
James Knight G. A. Knight
Acknowledgment
State of Arkansas County of Ashley
Be it remembered, That on this day came before me the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace within and for the County aforesaid, duly commissioned and acting James Knight to me well known as the grantor in the foregoing Deed, and stated that he had executed the same for the consideration and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.
And on the same day also voluntarily appeared before me the said G. A. Knight, wife of the said James Knight, to me well known, and in the absence of her said husband declared that she had, of her own free will, signed and sealed the relinquishment of dower and homestead in the foregoing deed for the consideration and purposes therein contained and set forth, without compulsion or undue influence of her said husband.
Witness my hand and seal, as such Justice of the Peace on this 11 day of May, 1895. T. G. Gammel, J. P.

Certificate of Record
State of Arkansas, County of Ashley
I, R. R. Radford, county clerk and ex officio recorder for the county aforesaid do hereby certify that the annexed and foregoing instrument of writing was filed for record in my office, on the 20th day of Sept. A. D. 1899, at 11 o'clock a.m. and the same is now duly recorded, with the acknowledgment and certificate thereon in Record Book MM, Page 7. In Witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 20th day of Sept. 1899.
R. R. Radford, Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder
Wm. Haley D. C.

[Editor's note: The actual deed as recorded contained a clause that the land would belong to the church for so long as it was used for church purposes. After the church dissolved, the land apparently reverted to the Knight family, and as of April, 2000, the land belongs to Georgia-Pacific Corp. through its North American Timber Company]

Central Church June 9th 1895
Services by Bro. Sims, but no conference on account inclement weather.
J. R. Rodgers church clerk

Central Church July 13th 1895
After services by Bro. J. B. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for reference. 1st The dimensions committee made a report, to-wit, They had agreed on a house thirty-six feet wide, Sixty feet long, Eighteen foot walls, one door on each side, three by seven feet, one in front end five feet and eight in wide. Eight feet high with a transom lite over the door. Thirteen windows, two feet eight inches wide, eight feet long. Four on each side and one on each side of stand and 3 three in stand, the stand to be a concave stand, an arch ceiling with swinging joist. Roofing to be half pitch or near half with two foot rafter cornish and house to be covered with cypress shingles with elevated floor and the house to be on fourteen inch high blocks. The report was received and committee discharged.
3rd Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried to appoint a building and finance committee and the committee to take the building in full control and complete the building as soon as they can. Brethren J. R. Rodgers, E. T. Johnson, T. J. Brymer, J. W. Willcoxon, Jacob McDougald and J. B. Jackson was appointed and they was given the privilege of appointing them a lady to assist in the finances. 2nd Bro. James Coleman and wife called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Aug 10th 1895
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried that we go into the election of a pastor for the next associational year and delegates to represent us at the association. Bro. Sims was

unanimously elected to the care of the church. Brethren T. J. Brymer, E. T. Johnson and W. M. Mears was elected as delegates. Brethren J. W. Willcoxon, Otis McDougald and Carlton Jennings as alternates. It was then decided by the church that we would meet on Saturday nite before the first Sabbath in September for the purpose of protracting services for a few days if nothing prevented. Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Sept. 7th 1895
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Seven dollars that was pledged at the last association was collected to be sent by the delegates to the association. Five dollars for Associational Missions, One dollar for State Missions, one dollar for Foreign Missions was paid by the Ladies Aid Society. Five Dollars $5.00 was paid to Bro. Mitchell by the Ladies Aid Society. One dollar and fifty cents was collected for minutes of the association. 3rd The church agreed to pay Bro. Mitchell one hundred dollars for his next year's services. 4th Called for new business. 1st Conference adjourned to meet the next day to adopt the association letter.
Our meeting was protracted from the 31st of August until the 8 of Sept. Our church was spiritually strengthen and several was added to the church. To-wit, by restoration, Dan Williams, Columbus Courson; By letter, Sister T. E. Price from Beech Creek Church, Bro. Joe Denton and wife Allie Denton was received on their statement that their church had died and they failed to get their church letter. Bro. Rube Griswold and Helen, his wife, Bro. Frank Slocumb and Ida, his wife, returned their letters. By experience and baptism, Sister Mary Gray, Ida Roberts, Bago Paterson, Dora McDougald, Evie Franklin, Lena Brymer, Ophelia Rodgers, Ora Griswold and John Courson, Vester Smith, Henry Slocumb. Sept. 8th Met at 10 o'clock a.m. at Bro. Knight's mill pond and attended to the ordinance of baptism. Then returned to the church and after services, the association letter was read and adopted. Conference adjourned to meet at 11 o'clock a.m. on Saturday before the second Sabbath in Oct.
J. W. Sims, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church, October 12th 1895
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. E. T. Johnson reported that they pledged four (4.00) dollars at the association. Two ($2.50) dollars and fifty cents for associational missions and One and a half dollars for state missions. The church accepted the pledges made at the association. 2nd Bro. O. B. Franklin called for a letter of dismission for Bro. Bob McDougald who had moved to Texas. Bro. Bob's letter was granted. 3rd Sister Dena Priest, known on ch record as Beavers, called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th A motion was carried that we turn the old church house over to a committee to sell and to pay the money to the building of the new church. Brethren E. T. Johnson, T. J. Brymer and J. R. Rodgers was appointed as committee men to sell the old church. 5th Bro. O. B. Franklin made a statement to the church. To-wit, that his interest was all there, and if they was going to

leave that he wanted a letter of dismission for him self and wife. A motion was made and second that the letter be granted but after some remarks the letter was refused on the account that they did not believe Bro Franklin was in fellowship with his church as he had refused to be governed by the church. 6th Conference adjourned.
J W Sims moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Nov. 9th 1895
No preaching on the account of inclement weather, but the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. Committees reported that they had sold the old church house for $.28.75, Twenty-Eight and Seventy-Five cents. Report received and committee discharged. 3rd Called for new business. 1st. J. R. Rodgers, J. W. Willcoxon and W. M. Mears was appointed as delegates to go to the state convention. 2nd A motion was carried that we adjourn conference to meet at Berea school house at our next regular time of conference.
J. W. Sims moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, December 7th 1895
Met at Berea school house. After reading the 71st Psalm and prayer by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st. Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd. Called for report of committees. None. 3rd Called for references. 1st Bro. Jacob McDougald and J. B. Jackson was released from the building and finance committee as they had failed to act as committeemen. 4th Called for new business. 1st Bro. J. W. Willcoxon was elected as superintendent and E. T. Johnson assistant superintendent of the Sabbath School for the year 1896. 2nd The church accepted of the school house and gave the Methodist brethren a vote of thanks for their courtesy in offering their church house to us to worship in. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at the school house at our regular time of conference.
J W Sims moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clk

Central Church January 11th 1896
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd. Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st The church invited Bro. Freman to preach in our church any time it suited him to preach. 4th Conference adjourned.
J W Sims moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, Feb. 9th 1896
Preaching by Bro. Sims, but no conference.
J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church, March 8th 1896
Preaching by Bro. Sims, but no conference.
J. R. Rodgers church clerk

Central Church April 11th 1896
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of January was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd. Called for new business. None. 4th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church May 9th 1896
After preaching by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference to grant some letters of dismission . Bro. W. M. Mears and wife, Bro. Allen Jennings and Sister Lula Anders called for letters of dismission which was granted.
J. W. Sims Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church June 14th 1896
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st. Charges was preferred against Bro. Ab Knight for unchristian conduct and a committee of two Brethren E. T. Johnson and J. R. Franklin was to notify Bro. Ab of the charges. 4th Conference adjourned.
Sunday, June 15
After services by Bro. Sims, an opportunity was offered for membership. Bro. E. G. Price presented a letter of dismission from Flat Church Church which was received.
J. W. Sims, moderator J. W. Willcoxon clerk pro tem Recorded by J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church July 11th 1896
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of the committee. Committee ask for more time which was granted. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Sister Flora McGill called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Aug 8th 1896
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of the committee. Committee made a report which was received and committee discharged and the church for give Bro. Ab Knight 3rd Called for new business. None. 4th Conference adjourned.
J.W. Sims, Moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Sept. 12th 1896
After service by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Brethren T. G. Gammel, Elijah Slocumb, J. W. Willcoxon was elected as delegates. E. G. Price and J. R. Rodgers as alternates to represent us at the association. 2nd Four $4.00 dollars was raised for Missions and one $1.00 dollar for minutes of the association. 3rd Bro. J. W. Sims was unanimously elected to the care of the church for the

next associational year and the church agreed to pay Bro. Sims Sixty dollars for his services. 4th The association letter was read and adopted. 5th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, mod. J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Oct. 10th 1896
After services by Bro. J. W. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st. The clerk being absent, J. W. Willcoxon was elected clerk pro tem. 2 Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Sister Gray called for a letter of dismission which was granted. Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, moderator J. W. Willcoxon, clerk pro tem Recorded by J. R. Rodgers

Central Church, Nov. 8th 1896
After services by Bro. J. W. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. 1st The building committee reported that they had the church house completed with the exception of the ceiling and a few benches, that the cost of the house at present was six hundred and ninety dollars in material and work and that they did not have the money to carry on the work and complete the house. J. W. Willcoxon, chairman, J. R. Rodgers, secretary of committee. The church accepted the report of the committee and received the house. 3rd Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried that we meet at the new church house and hold our next conference. 2nd Conference adjourned.
Elder J. W. Sims, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Dec. 12th 1896
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. None. 3rd Called for unfinished business. None. 4th Called for new business. 1st Bro. Roberts and wife Sister Ida Roberts called for letters of dismission which was granted. 2nd Sister Effie McDougald and Bro. Ed Mears called for letters of dismission which was granted. 3rd Bro. Edward Johnson was elected superintendent of the Sabbath School and Bro. Rube Griswold assistant for the remainder of this association year. 5th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church January 9th 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committees. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st. The church roll was called over and charges was perfered (sic) against Brethren and Sisters that had not been to church for the last 2 or three years. To-wit, Brethren Odie Mitchel, Robert Knight, John Linder, James Lloyd, Sam Bethune, Sisters A. H. Taylor, Ida Vancamp, Evie Rolling, Effie Roseman, Mattie Hathaway, Susie Beavers. Charges was preferred against the above named Brethren and Sisters for treating the church with contempt and the clerk was appointed to try to find where the brothers and sisters lived and notify them of the charges against them. 2nd A motion was carried that they be a committee appointed to visit the Brethren and Sisters that has failed

to attend church for the last twelve or fifteen months. Brethren Lige Slocumb, Tom Gammel, T. J. Brymer and J. R. Rodgers was appointed as a visiting committee. 4th Conference adjourned.
Elder J. W. Sims, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk

Central Church Feb. 13, 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for report of committees. 1st J. R. Rodgers ask for more time which was granted. 2nd The visiting committee ask for more time which was granted. 3rd Call for new business. 1st Bro. Ed Johnson offered his resignation to the church as superintendent of the Sabbath School as he was going to move off where he could not attend. His resignation was received and Bro. T. G. Gammel was elected to take his place. 2nd Bro. J. R. Rodgers tendered his resignation as church clerk, which was received, and Bro. T. G. Gammel was elected clerk. 3rd Sister Florence Cone call for a letter of dismission which was granted. Conference adjourned.
Elder J. W. Sims, moderator J. R. Rodgers ch clerk [written by T. G. Gammel]

Central Church, Feb. 14, 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. Bro. T. G. Gammel offered his resignation to the church as superintendent of the Sunday School as the church had elected him clerk. His resignation was received and Bro. J. H. Johnson was elected to take his place.
J. W. Sims, Moderator J. R. Rodgers, ch clerk [written by T. G. Gammel]

Central Baptist Church March 13, 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for reports of committee. 1st J. R. Rodgers reported, to-wit, that Bro. Sam Bethune, Sister Susie Beavers and Sister Sidney Matthews wanted the church to bare (sic) with them, that they could not attend such as they would like. And that he could not hear where Sister Taylor, Ida Vancamp, Evie Rolling, Fannie Roseman, Odie Mitchel, Robert Knight and James Lloyd was. And that he had failed to get to see Bro. John Linder. The church received the report and continued the committee to see Bro. John Linder. 1st The church accepted Bro. Sam Bethune, Sister Susie Beavers and Sidney Mathews acknowledgment. 2nd The church withdrew fellowship from Bro. James Loyd, Odie Mitchel, Robert Knight and Sister A. J. Taylor, Ida Vancamp, Evie Rolling and Fannie Roseman for charge against them. 3rd Called for report of the visiting committee. Committee reports to-wit, We your committee have been to see most all of the brethren and sisters that have been absent from church for the last 12 or 15 months. Report received and tabled. Committee discharged. 4th Call for new business. 1st Bro. Otis McDougald, Bro. James Franklin and Frank Slocumb was appointed as visiting committee to see the bros. and sisters that had been dancing. 2nd Bro. Frank Cartlege and wife called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 3rd J. R. Rogers made a motion that we grant Bro. O. B. Franklin and wife letters of dismission on Bro. Franklin's statement that he called for his letter in good faith that it was not his desire to go with the

church, and the church granted them letters of dismission . 2th Bro. John Powell made acknowledgment for not attending church and the church forgave him. 5th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, Moderator T. G. Gammel Ch Clerk

Central Baptist Church April 10, 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committee. 1st Bro. J. R. Rodgers not being present to report the church gave him more time. 2nd The visiting committee was not ready to report and Bro. John Willcoxon made a motion that the church give them more time which was granted. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Sister Alie Paterson made acknowledgment to the church for dancing and the church for gave her. 2nd Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims, Moderator T. G. Gammel Ch Clerk

Central Baptist Church May 8, 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for report of committee. 1st Bro. J. R. Rodgers reports, to-wit, that he failed to see Bro. John Linder and his case was continued to the next meeting. 2nd Bro. James Franklin reports that he saw Bro. George Mears. Report received and committee discharged and charges preferred against Bro. George Mears, Bob McDougald and Sister Elvar Jackson and the following committee was appointed to inform them of the charge, to-wit, T. G. Gammel, J. H. Johnson and R. L. Griswold. 3rd Charge preferred against Bro. Dan Williams and Bro. J. R. Rodgers was appointed to notify him of the charge. 4th Called for new business. 1st Committee was appointed to get a seat for the pulpit, to-wit, Bro. J. H. Johnson and T. G. Gammel. 2nd Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church June 12 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for reports of committee. 1st J. R. Rodgers made a report which was received and Bro. John Linder was excluded. 2nd T. G. Gammel, J. H. Johnson and R.L. Griswold made their report which was received and Bro. George Mears and Sister Elvar Jackson was excluded for the sin of dancing and Bro. Bob McDougald's case was continued to next meeting. 3rd The committee to get a seat for the pulpit called for more time which was granted. 4th Bro. Dan Williams' case was taken up and the church for gave him. 5th Called for new business. 1st A motion was carried to invite Bro. Henry to assist Bro. Sims in the protracted meeting the second Sunday in August. 2nd Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church July 10, 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last

meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for report of committees. 1st The committee to get a seat for the pulpit reported, to-wit, we bought three chairs and placed them in the pulpit. The cost of said chairs was $1.90. We have 21 cents left. J. H. Johnson, chairman. The report was received and the com discharged and the 21 cents was appropriated to the S. S. 2nd The committee to see Bro. Bob McDougald made a report which was received and committee discharged and the church withdrew fellowship from him and the following committee was appointed to get his church letter, to-wit, Bros. E. T. Johnson and Otis McDougald. 3rd Call for new business. None. Conference adjourned. J. W. Sims Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church Aug 7 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent, Bro. E. T. Johnson was appointed clerk pro tem. On the account of the minutes of last meeting being absent, unfinished business was omitted. The church call for new business. 1st A motion was carried to go into the election of delegates to the association. Bros. Jacob McDougald, Otis McDougald and J. H. Johnson was elected and Bros. E. T. Johnson and J. W. Willcoxon as alternates. 2nd A motion was carried to send $1.50 to the association for minutes and associational purposes. 3rd Sister Sidny Tanner call for her letter of dismission which was granted. 4th A motion was carried to postpone the calling of a pastor to the next meeting. 5th A motion was carried to invite Bros. Henry and Freeman to assist in the protracted meeting. 6th Our meeting was protracted from the 7th to the 15 day of Aug. Bro. Henry assisted Bro. Sims in the meeting. The church gave Bro. Henry $10.05 for his services. Our church was spiritually strengthened and several added to the church, to-wit, by restoration, Bro. Monroe Smith, Charley Knight, Z. R. Wheat, Alonzo McDougald and Bob McDougald; by letter, Bro. B. P. Kimbro and wife from Tyro Church; by experience and baptism, Bros. Ben King, James Knight Jr., George Knight, Ruby Knight, and sister Alie Franklin. Bro. Sam Lain was not able to be baptized and it was put off to next meeting. 7th Conference adjourned.
Bro. J. W. Sims Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church Sept. 11 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for references. 1st A motion was carried to send to the association 50 cents for associational purposes and $1.00 for minutes and $1.00 for ministerial education. 2nd A motion was carried to table the motion for calling of a pastor. 3rd Call for new business. 1st The association letter was read and adopted. 2nd A motion was carried to go into the election of a supt. for the Sabbath school for the next associational year. Bro. J. H. Johnson was elected and bro. Guss Gammel was elected assistant supt. 3rd Bro. Monroe Smith call for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th Bro. Alonzo McDougald called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 5th A standing invitation was extended to Bro. R. T. Moseley to preach at our church. 6th A motion was carried to take up a subscription to pay Bro. Sims. 7th An invitation was extended to Bro. Sims to be with us on our next meeting. 8th Conference adjourned.
Bro. J. W. Sims Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church Oct. 9, 1897
After services by Bro. Sims, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st The subscription to pay Bro. Sims was continued and the following committee was appointed to assist in raising the money, to-wit, T. G. Gammel, E. T. Johnson and R. L. Griswold. 3rd Call for new business. 1st Bro. J. W. Wilcoxon and wife called for a letter of dismisssion which was granted. 2nd Bro. R. L. Griswold stated that he had been out of order and wanted the church to for give him, which was granted. 3rd. A motion was carried to accept the acts of our delegates at the association. 4th The following delegates was appointed to represent us at the state convention, to-wit, R. L. Griswold and wife and Charley Knight. 5th Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church Nov. 13, 1897
The church assembled in conference. Bro. J. W. Sims acted as moderator. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st The committee to raise the money to pay Bro. Sims reported that the church had settled with Bro. Sims for his services up to date. 2nd The motion for call a pastor was taken up and the church went in to the election of a pastor for the next associational year which resulted in the election of Bro. Freeman $125.00 for his services and E. T. Johnson and T. G. Gammel was appointed by the church to notify Bro. Freeman of the call. Next the church extended a standing invitation to Bro. Sims. Conference adjourned.
J. W. Sims Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Church Dec 11 1897
The church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. Bob Mosley was appointed moderator pro tem. 2nd The clerk being absent J. R. Rodgers was appointed clerk pro tem. 3rd Call for the minutes of last meeting. Minutes not present and the reading was referred to next meeting. 4th Call for report of committees. Com being absent, report was conferred until next meeting. 5 Call for new business. None. 6 Conference adjourned.
R. L. Mosley, mod pro tem J. R. Rodgers clerk pro tem

Central Church Feb 12 1898
The church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. E. T. Johnson was appointed moderator pro tem. 2nd The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Call for report of committees. 1st T. G. Gammel and E. T. Johnson made their report which was received and the com. discharged. 2nd Call for new business. 1st. A motion was carried to appoint a corresponding committee to correspond with preachers to find out who we could get to serve us as pastor. The following com. was appointed, to-wit, Dr. B. P. Kimbro and T. G. Gammel. 2nd Conference adjourned.
E. T. Johnson, moderator pro tem T. G. Gammel church clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ March 12, 1898
The church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. E. T. Johnson was appointed moderator pro

tem. 2nd The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Call for report of committees. 1st The corresponding committee made a report which was received and the committee discharged. 2nd Call for new business. 1st A motion was carried to go into the election a pastor for the remainder of this associational year. Bro. G. D. Moore was given a hearty call and the church fixed his salary at the rate of one hundred dollars a year. The clerk was requested by the church to notify Bro. Moore of the call. 3rd A committee was appointed to see Bros. Jas Beavers, Lumb Courson and Vester Smith who according to rumor are guilty of unchristian conduct, to-wit, Bros. Ambrose Cone, Elija Slocumb and T. G. Gammel. Conference adjourned.
E. T. Johnson, moderator pro tem T.G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ April 9, 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for references. 1st The committee to notify Bro. Moore made a report which was received and the committee discharged. 2nd Bro. Moore stated to the church that he would accept the call. 3rd The committee to see Bros. Jas. Beavers, Lumb Courson and Vester Smith call for more time, which was granted. 4th Call for new business. 1st. A motion was carried to raise twenty $20.00 dollars to buy Bro. Moore a cart. Bro. E. J. Johnson was appointed to a committee to raise the amt. 2nd Conference adjourned.
G. D. Moore Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Baptist Church of Christ May 7, 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st Bro. Vester Smith asked the church to forgive him which was granted. The church preferred charges against Bro. Jas. Beavers. Bro. Lumb Courson case was continued to next meeting. The committee was continued to see Bro. Jas Beavers. 2nd Bro. E. T. Johnson reported that he had raised $12.00 for Bro. Moore. The committee was continued and Bros. J. R. Rodgers and R. L. Griswold was added to the committee. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. E. G. Price and wife called for letters of dismission which was granted. 2nd Conference adjourned.
G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Church, June 11th 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for reference. 1st Bro Jas Beavers' case was continued to next meeting and Bro. Lumb Courson asked the church to forgive him which was granted. 2nd The committee reported that they had collected and paid to Bro. Moore $20.35 to buy him a sulky. The report was received by the church and the committee discharged. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. J. R. Rodgers was elected assistant supt. of the Sabbath School as Bro. Guss Gammell had been elected and failed to accept. 2nd The church went into a committee of the whole to consider the following motion, to-wit: That we as a church of Christ invite the sisters of our church to meet and organize themselves in to a Woman Missionary Union for church work. E. J. Johnson, chairman.

The above motion adopted by the church.
Bo. G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, ch clerk

Central Church July 9, 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st An opportunity was offered for membership. Bros. Walter Green, Alonzo Green and Sister Mattie Green and Sister Saleta Franklin presented letters of recommendation from Promise Land church. And they was received into full fellowship with us. 2nd J. R. Rodgers was appointed clerk pro tem as the clerk was absent. 3rd Minute of last meeting was read and adopted approved. 4th Called for report of committee that was to see Bro. Jas. Beavers. Com. made a report which was received and committee discharged, and by motion the report was table. 5th Called for new business. 1st The ladies missionary union reported that they had collected $ (no amount shown) and asked the church permission to buy lamps for the church which was granted. 2nd J. R. Rodgers offered a resolution, to-wit: Resolve that whereas there has been some gatherings in our church house that is not scriptured. That we for-bid any gatherings in our church house except for sacred purposes. After some discussion, the resolution was tabled until next meeting. 3rd Bro. Burten White called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th A motion was carried that we hold a series of meetings at our next regular time to meeting. 6th Conference adjourned.
Geo. D. Moore, Moderator J. R. Rodgers, clerk pro tem

Central Church, August 13, 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last two meetings was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st The resolution offered by Bro. J. R. Rodgers was taken up and discussed and adopted by the church. 2nd Because of so much sickness, our protracted meeting was postpone to next meeting. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Sister Sallie McPherson made acknowledge and asked the church to for-give her which was granted. 2nd She called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 3rd Conference adjourned.
Geo. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, ch clerk

Central Church, September 10, 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted as read. 2nd Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st The church went into the election of delegates to the association, and Bros. J. R. Rodgers, L. J. Brymer and E. T. Johnson was elected as delegates and Bros. T.G. Gammel, J. H. Johnson and W. A. Green as alternates. 2nd Bro. James Knight was elected sexton to take charge of the church key. 3rd A motion was carried to sent to the association $1.00 for minutes and $4.00 for missions. 4th The election of pastor and clerk was continued to the next meeting. 5th Bros. R. L. Griswold, E. T. Johnson and T. G. Gammel was appointed as a committee to raise the amt. pledged to the association. 6th The letter to the association was adopted by the church. 7th Conference adjourned.
Geo. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, church clerk

Central Church October 8, 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Bro. James Knight was excused from the office of sexton. 2nd. The committee to raise the money pledged to the association made a report which was received by the church and the committee discharged. 3rd The election of a pastor and clerk was continued to the following day at 10 o'clock. 4th Called for new business. 1st Bro. J. V. Ridgell called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 2nd. Bro. Moore stated that at the association he pledged $1.00 for home missions for Central Church which was accepted by the church. 3rd Conference was continued to the following day at 10 o'clock.
Sunday at 10 o'clock, 1st The church settled with Bro. Moore in full for his services up to date. 2nd The church adopted the plan of electing a pastor from Jan. to Jan. as recommended by the association. 3rd The church went into the election of a pastor. Bro. Moore was elected to serve the church to January 1900 and the church agreed to pay Bro Moore ($100.00) one hundred dollars for his services. 4th T. G. Gammel was reelected clerk. 5th Bros. B. P. Kimbro, R. L. Griswold and Otis McDougald was elected as delegates to the Baptist State Convention and Bros. Otis McDougald, W. A. Green and R. B. Knight was elected as delegates to the dis. meeting which convened at Flat Creek Ch. 6th Conference adjourned.
Geo. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Church November 10, 1898
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent, E. T. Johnson was appointed clerk pro tem. The minute of last meeting not present unfinished business was omitted. Called for new business. 1st Bro. Moore accepted the care of the church. 2nd Sister Mary Knight was appointed to raise money to buy a stove and flue for the church and Bro. J. R. Rodgers was appointed to select and buy it. 3rd Conference adjourned.
Bro. G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, ch clerk E. T. Johnson, clerk pro tem

Central Church March 11, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. Because of bad wether (sic) our church has not held any services since Nov. 10th. 1st The minutes of Oct. 8th and Nov. 10th of our last meetings was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st Bro. J. R. Rodgers reported that the stove and flue for our church cost $16.15. 2nd Sister Mary Knight reported that she had collected 40 cents more to pay on said stove. 3rd The church appointed Bro. Moore to select the place for the stove. 4th Called for new business. 1st Bro. Charley Knight stated to the church that he was guilty of fighting and made an open confession and asked the church to forgive him, which was granted. 2nd A motion was moved to exclude Bro. Z. R. Wheat for drinking intoxicating liquors which was voted down and his case continued to next meeting and the clerk was appointed to notify him. 3rd Bro. Columbus Courson was excluded from our church for the sin of getting drunk. 4th Bro. F. P. Courson was excluded for [no reason stated]. 5th A letter of confession from Bro. Otis McDougald was presented to the church by Bro. J. R. Rodgers. The letter as

accepted by the church and he was forgiven by the church. 5th The church collected and paid Bro. Moore ($6.65) six dollars and sixty-five cents on his salary. 6th Conference adjourned to meet at our next meeting day.
Geo. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel ch clerk

Central Church, April 8th, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and after some corrections it was adopted. Called for unfinished business. 1st. Bro. Z. R. Wheat was present and made an open confession and asked the church to forgive him which was granted. 2nd Bro. Jack Ward made acknowledgment to the church for fighting and asked forgiveness, which was granted. 3rd Bro. John Courson made acknowledgment and asked forgiveness for getting drunk which was granted. 4th J. V. Ridgel asked the church to forgive him for the sin of getting drunk, which was granted. 5th Bro. J. B. Jackson stated the reason he had not attended church regular he felt that he was not wanted. He also stated that if he was out of order he wanted the church to forgive him; his request was granted. 6th Bro. Vester Smith asked the church to forgive him for getting drunk, which was granted. 7th A motion to excluded Bro. Guss Pearce for non attendance was voted down and his case was continued to next meeting and the clerk was appointed to notify him. 8th Bro. James Beavers made a confession to the church and asked forgiveness which was granted. 9th Bro. James Franklin requested the church to withdraw fellowship from him for nonattendance and non-fellowship, which was granted. 10th A motion to exclude Bro. Ab Knight for profanity was voted down and his case was continued to next meeting and the clerk was to notify him. 11th A motion to exclude Bro. W. S. Standley for nonattendance was voted down. 12th The church extended to Bro. E. T. Johnson a vote of thanks for coming out from Hamburg and putting up the stove and flue for the church. 13th Sister Allie Franklin stated that at the Baptist State Convention she pledged $5.00 for home missions for Central Church which was accepted by the church. 14th Bro. Moore asked the church to pay him $7.00 to settle his taxes with. 15th Bro. J. C. Slocumb and wife called for letters of dismission which was granted. 16th Bro. George Riley called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 17th The church went into the election of teachers and officers for the Sunday School. Bro. J. H. Johnson was elected Supt. and Bro. J. R. Rodgers was elected assistant supt., Sister Allie Franklin, sec. and treasurer, Sister Hellen Griswold, teacher of the advanced class; Sister Ida Franklin, teacher of the intermediate class; and Sister Kitty Kimbro, teacher of the primary class. Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting day.
Geo. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, ch clerk

Central Church May 13, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Bro. Guss Pierce was present and made a statement and his case was indefinitely postpone 2nd Bro. A. B. Knight was present and made a statement and is case was indefinitely postponed. 3rd. Called for new business. 1st Sister Kimbro offered her resignation as teacher of the primary class which was accepted by the church and Sister Mattie Green was elected to

take her place. 2nd Sister Mary Knight stated that the Woman's Missionary Union was purchased three window shades for the church. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting.
G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, church clerk

Central Church, June 10, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The church roll was called. 3rd Sister Emma Knight made a statement to the church whereupon a committee of three was nominated and elected by the church to investigate and ascertain whether the reports that is afoot about her and Otis McDougald be true or not and to make their report to the church. The committee is as follows, to-wit: Bros. S. R. Smith, J. W. Sims, and J. M. Smith, members of the Promise Land Church. 4th The church accepted the window shades purchased by the Woman's Missionary Union. Conference adjourned.
G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, ch clerk

Central Church July 8, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st The committee to investigate the reports about Bro. Otis McDougald and Sister Emma Knight refused to act in the matter. 2nd The church withdrew fellowship from Sister Emma Knight and Bro. Otis McDougald for unchristian conduct. 3rd The church withdrew fellowship from Bro. Sam Lain for nonattendance. 4th The church withdrew fellowship from Bro. W. A. Hughen for nonattendance. 5th A motion was made to exclude Bro. Charley Knight for insulting a pastor, which was continued to next meeting. 6th Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting.
G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, church clerk

Central Church, August 12, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for references. 1st Bro. Charley Knight's case was taken up and he being present and not giving satisfaction for his conduct, the church withdrew fellowship from him. 3rd Called for new business. 1st. Charges was preferred against Bro. Ab Knight for treating the church and pastor with contempt and the church excluded him. 2nd Sister Mary Knight asked the church to withdraw fellowship from her on non-fellowship and the church withdrew from her. 3rd Bro. Sam Bethune and wife called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th Bro. James Knight, Jr., asked the church to withdraw from him, and the church withdrew fellowship from him at his own request. 5th. Bro. James Knight asked the church to grant him a letter of dismission and his request was not granted. 6th Charges was preferred against Bro. Edward Johnson for working on the Sabbath Day when working on the railroad and J. R. Rodgers was to notify him of the charge. 7th Bro. Walter Green was appointed to take charge of the church and swing the side doors and put locks to doors and such other necessary work. 8th A motion was carried that the church begin a series of meetings on the first Sunday in

September. Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting.
G. D. Moore, Moderator J. R. Rodgers, clerk pro tem

Central Church September 9, 1899
After a week's protracted meeting and services today by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Bro. E. T. Johnson was present and made acknowledgment and asked the church to for give him which was granted. 2nd Called for new business. 1st The church went into the election of delegates to the association which resulted in the election of T. J. Brymer, J. H. Johnson and T. G. Gammel as delegates and W. A. Green and E. T. Johnson as alternates. 2nd The church pledged $1.50 to the association for minutes. 3rd Sister Georgia Knight called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 4th The church was informed that Bro. Vester Smith had joined the M. E. Church whereupon he was excluded from the church. 5th. Bro. J. R. Rodgers read a pledge asking for a subscription to seal and complete Central Church. 6th Conference adjourned to meet on the following day at 10 o'clock.

Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, September 10th, 1888
Bro. J. R. Rodgers read the pledge again and continued to collect and take subscriptions for the sealing of the church. The letter to the association was read and adopted. Sister Alice Shurtloff presented a letter of recommendation from Hopewell Church, Miss. She was received into full fellowship with the church. Bro. James Franklin and Bro. William Hughen was restored to the church. The protracted meeting was continued. Thursday morning, September 14th. The following persons was added to the church by experience baptism, to-wit: Ernest Franklin, Annie Hughen, Susie Hughen, Allie McDougald, Ruth Willcoxon, Jose Linder, Emma Rodgers. The meeting was continued. A motion was carried to have the church land deed recorded and that it be done by our pastor. Bro. W. A. Green was appointed by the church to assist Bro. Moore in baptism Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock, September 17, 1899. The following persons was added to the church by experience and baptism, to-wit: Maud Kimbro, Ada Hughen, Almar Rodgers, Laura Standley, Mary Hughen, Ester Davis, Bunion Courson, Hawood Kimbro, Lorrie Smith, Thomas Green, Minnie Franklin, Jessie Willcoxon, Golda Franklin, Witley Slocumb, Ira Franklin, Levi Willcoxon.We returned to the church for services after which a collection was taken up for the orphan home and $2.41 was received. Bro. J. R. Rodgers reported that there had been subscribed and paid in $84.85 for the sealing of the church. After 14 days meeting and the church being spiritually benefitted, conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting.
G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, church clerk

Central Church, October 7, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and adopted. Unfinished business was called for. 1st Bro. Moore reported that he had the church deed recorded in the county clerk's office. 2nd A motion was carried to grant Bro. James Knight a letter of dismission. 3rd Called for new business.

1st A letter of confession from Bro. Willie McGill was presented to the church asking the church to restore him and grant him a letter of dismission which was granted. 2nd Bro. J. H. Riley of Mt. Olive Church was present and asked the church to appoint a committeeman to assist him in rasing the money to erect a monument over Bro. & Sister Hogan Allen's graves, and his request was granted and Bro. Jacob McDougald was appointed. 3rd The time for prayer meeting was changed from 5 to 4 o'clock p.m. 4th Bro. W. A. Green filed his acct or claim against the church of $1.80 for repairs on church which was allowed by the church. 5th The church went into the election of delegates to the Baptist State Convention, which resulted in the election of Dr. B. P. Kimbro, Howard Kimbro and T. G. Gammel. 6th Conference adjourned to the following day at 10 o'clock. Sunday morning. 1st The church rescinded the act of granting Bro. James Knight a letter of dismission and the church withdrew fellowship from him for threatening the life of the pastor (G. D. Moore). 2nd A motion was carried to go into the election of a deacon at our next meeting. 3rd Sister Lizzie Hughen was received into the church upon a recommendation given by the clerk of Mt. Olive Church. 4th The following delegates was appointed to go to the dist. meeting, to-wit: W. A. Green, J. H. Johnson, Z. R. Wheat. A collection was taken for association missions and $1.50 was received. 6th Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting.
G. D. Moore, Moderator T. G. Gammel, church clerk

Central Church November 11, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church assembled in conference. The clerk being absent, Bro. J. H. Johnson was elected clerk pro tem. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st The church went into the electing of a deacon. Bro. J. H. Johnson was elected. 2nd Bros. J. H. Riley of Mt. Olive Ch. and John Smith of Promise Land Ch. was appointed to be with us at our next meeting to form a presbytery to attend to the ordination of deacon. 3rd Bros. J. R. Rodgers, J. H. Johnson and W. A. Green was selected as a committee to purch. the lumber to seal the church. 4th A collection was taken for associations missions. $1.13 was recd. Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting.
G. D. Moore, Moderator J. H. Johnson, clerk pro tem Recorded by T. G. Gammel, clerk

Central Church, Dec. 9th, 1899
After services by Bro. Moore, the church attended to the ordination of deacon. Dr. Kimbro of Tyro Church, J. H. Riley of Mt. Olive Church, J. R. Rodgers and G. D. Moore constituted the presbytery. Bro. J. H. Johnson was presented and ordain as deacon of Central Church. After which the regular order of business was taken up. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and approved. 2nd Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd. Called for new business. 1st The church went into the election of pastor, clerk, supt. of S. S. and door keeper. G. D. Moore was elected pastor, and the church agreed to pay him at the rate of one hundred dollars a year for his services. T. G. Gammel was reelected clerk. J. H. Johnson reelected supt of the S. S. and W. A. Green elected door keeper. 4th Bro. Ernest Franklin made acknowledgment to the church and was forgiven. Conference

adjourned.
G. D. Moore, Mod T. G. Gammel c. c.

Central Church January 12, 1900
The church assembled in conference. The pastor being absent, Dr. B. P. Kimbro was elected mod. pro tem. After prayer by Bro. Kimbro, the church taken the regular order of business. 1st Called for reading of minutes which was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Charges was preferred (sic) against Bros. J. A. Cone and R. M. Courson for working on Sunday while working at stave factory. Bro. J. R. Rodgers and T. G. Gammel was appointed as a com. to notify them of the charge. 2nd Bro. Willey Slocumb made acknowledgment to the church for getting drunk and asked for forgiveness, which was granted. 3rd Charges was preferred (sic) against Bros. Ernest Franklin, Ira Franklin, Alonzo Green and Hawood Kimbro for getting drunk. The clerk to notify them of the charges. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at our next meeting
Dr. B. P. Kimbro, Mod. Pro Tem T. G. Gammel, c. c.

Central Church February 10, 1900
The church having no moderator, Bro. B. P. Kimbro was elected mod. pro tem. After prayer, the minutes of last meeting was called for and being absent, the church took up business as follows, 1st. Bro. R. M. Courson made acknowledgment to the church and the church forgave him. 2nd. Bro. J. A. Cone made acknowledgment to the church and the church forgave him. 3rd Bro. Hawood Kimbro made acknowledgment, and the church forgave him. 4th. Bro. Alonzo Green made acknowledgment and the church forgave him. 5th That being all that had been notified of the charges preferred. The church taken new business. 1st Bro. Moore tendered his resignation to the church as pastor, which was accepted, and the church settled with Bro. Moore in full for his services up to date. 2nd A motion was carried to investigate rumors against Bro. Frank Slocumb for working on the Sabbath. Bro. J. H. Johnson was appointed to see him. 3rd A motion was carried to go in to the election of a pastor at our next regular meeting. Bros. B. P. Kimbro, J. R. Rodgers and J. H. Johnson was appointed corresponding committee to see who the church could get to serve as pastor. Conference adjourned to meet at our next meeting day.
B. P. Kimbro, mod. pro tem J. H. Johnson, clerk pro tem Recorded by T. G. Gammel, clerk

Central Church, March 10, 1900
After services by Bro. John H. Smith, the church assembled in conference. Bro. Smith was elected mod. pro tem. The minutes of last meetings being absent, the church taken the business as follows. 1st. The corresponding com. made their report and was discharged. 2nd The church went into the election of a pastor and Bro. John H. Smith was elected to the care of the church. Being present, accepted the call. 3rd The church promised to pay him for his services at the rate of one hundred dollars a year. 4 Bro. John Courson and Sister Martha McPherson called for letters of dismission which was granted.

Conference adjourned to meet again at our regular meeting day.
John H. Smith, Moderator J. H. Johnson clerk pro tem T. G. Gammel, clerk

Central Church, April 7th, 1900
After services by Bro. Smith, the church assembled in conference. Minutes of last meetings was read and adopted as read. Called for unfinished business. 1st Bro. John Johnson report rec'd and committee discharged. 1st Bro. Frank Slocumb's case deferred (sic) to next meeting. 2nd Committee continued to see Bros. Ernest and Ira Franklin. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Letters of dismission was granted to Bro. R. M. Courson and wife. 2nd The church went into the election of teachers and officers for the S. S. The following teachers was elected, to-wit: Sister Helen Griswold, teacher of advanced class; Sister Mattie Gammel, teacher of the intermediate class; Sister Mattie Green, teacher of primary class; Bro. J. R. Rodgers, asst. supt. and T. G. Gammel, secy. Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting day.
John H. Smith, Moderator T. G. Gammel, c. c.

Central Church May 12, 1900
After services by Bro. Smith, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting was read and adopted as read. Called for unfinished business. 1st Bro. Frank Slocumb was present and denied the rumor that was against him for violating the Sabbath day (by firing lumber kilns). 2nd Bros. Ernest and Ira Franklin's cases was continued to next meeting. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Bro. W. A. Green offered his resignation as door keeper which was accepted, and Bro. B. P. Kimbro was elected to fill the vacancy. 2nd A motion was carried to giving Bro. Smith the privilege of taking up three collections during the year for missions. 3rd 45 cents was collected and turned over to door keeper to buy coal oil for lamps. 4th The church received from Sunday School $1.05 for missions which was paid into treasurer at D. M. by Supt. J. H. Johnson. Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting time.
J. H. Smith, Moderator T. G. Gammel, c. c.

Central Church July 8th 1900
Services by Bro. J. H. Smith. No conference.
Bro. Smith, Moderator T. G. Gammel, ch clerk [written by J. H. Johnson]

Central Church, Sep. 8th 1900
After services by Bro. J. H. Smith, the church assembled in conference. The minutes of last meeting being absent, the church proceeded with new business. 1st The church went into the election of delegates to the association. The following delegates was elected, to-wit: Bros. J. R. Rodgers, J. H. Johnson, and Sister Allie Franklin. Alternates– Bros. B. P. Kimbro and Tomas Greene. 2nd A motion was carried to send $1.50 to the association for minutes and $5.00 for association missions with what had been paid heretofore and $1.00 for state missions heretofore paid. 3rd A motion was carried to protract our meeting. 4th Bro. Tomas Green made acknowledgment to the church which was accepted and the church forgave him. 5th Conference adjourned to meet from time to time during our

meeting.
Bro. J. H. Smith, Moderator T. G. Gammel, ch clerk [written by J. H. Johnson]

Central Church, Sept. 30th 1900
The church met in conference for the purpose of adopting the association letter. 1st Bro. W. A. Green was elect mod. pro. 2nd J. R. Rodgers was elected clerk pro. 3rd Call for reading of the association letter which was read and adopted. 4th Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting day.
W. A. Green, moderator pro. J. R. Rodgers, clirk (sic) pro [written by J. H. Johnson]

Central Baptist Church Oct 13th 1900
After services by Bro. John H. Smith, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minute of last meeting was read and after some correction was adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. There being none the church took up the new business as follows, 1st. The clerk having moved off and left us the church elected J. H. Johnson to fill his unexpired time. 2nd A motion was carried to protract our meeting at our next regular meeting and church authorized Bro. Smith to invite Bro. Denson to be with us in the meeting. 3rd Bro. Smith asked the church to excuse him from our next regular meeting if Florence Church would not excuse him from an appointment made with them, and the church granted his request. 4th Bro. R. L. Griswould call for letters of dismission for Sisters Ora Griswould, Maggie Smith, Hellon Griswould and himself, which was granted. 5th J. H. Johnson offered his resignation as Sunday School supervisor which was granted. 6th Bro. R. L. Griswould called for letters of dismission for Bros. R. B. and George Knight and the request was granted. 7th Conference adjourned.
Bro. J. H. Smith mod. J. H. Johnson, church clerk

Central Baptist Church Dec. 8th, 1900
After services by Rev. W. C. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. There being none, the church taken up the new business as follows, to-wit: 1st The church went into the elections of pastor and clerk for the year 1901 and Bro. Harley was elected pastor and J. H. Johnson was elected clerk. 2nd The church promised Bro. Harley $65.00 for services for the incoming year and after the church made a satisfactory statement in regard to paying Bro. Smith, Bro. Harley accepted the care of the church. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Bro. John H. Smith, Mod. J. H. Johnson, church clerk

Central Church, Jan. 12th 1901
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st. The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. A motion was carried that a collection be made on tomorrow for the purpose of settling with Bro. John H. Smith. 3rd Conference adjourned.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson ch ck
January 13 Called conference. 2nd A motion was carried that we meet in conference at 1

o'clock at our next regular meeting day. 3nd Conference adjourned.
Bro. Harley, Mod. John H. Johnson, church clk.

Central Baptist Church of Christ Feb. 9th 1901
After Dr. B. P. Kimbro was elected mod. pro tem, the church assembled in conference. The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. There being none, the church taken up the new business as follows. 1st Charges was preferred against Sister Goldie Franklin for the sin of dancing and Bro. Jacob McDougald was appointed to notify her of the charge. 2nd Charges was preferred against the following Bros. and Sisters for unchristian conduct– James Beavers, Rube Knight, John Courson, Bunion Courson, Lonie Smith, Lana Brymer and Ora Griswould and W. A. Hughen and J. H. Johnson was appointed to notify them of the charges. 3rd A motion was carried that clerk prepare and call the roll of members at our next regular conference. 4th A motion was carried that we have communion services on the second Lord's Day in March. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Dr. B. P. Kimbro, mod. pro tem, J. H. Johnson, ch clerk

Central Baptist Church March 9th 1901
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Bro. McDougald reported that he had seen Sister Golda Franklin. She said she was sorry she danced and wanted the church to forgive her. The report was accepted and the church forgave her. 3rd Bro. Hughen stated that he had seen John Courson and that he did not have any acknowledgment to make and the church excluded him. 4th Bro. Hughen further stated that Sister Ora Griswould sent the church word by Bro. John Smith that she was sorry that she danced and did not want the church to exclude her. The church excepted (sic) the statement and forgave her. 5th Bro. James Beavers was present and said he danced and that he was not sorry for it and did not have any acknowledgment to make and the church excluded him. 6th Conference adjourned to meet on tomorrow at 10 o'clock, March 10. By mutual agreement the church postponed conference and all business until Saturday before the second Sunday in April.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, ch ck

Central Baptist Church April 13th 1901
The pastor being absent, Bro. A. W. Green was elected mod. prot. After reading and prayer, the minute of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The church taken up the business as follows. 1st Committee reported that Bro. Rube Knight said he had no acknowledgment to make and the church excluded him for the sin of dancing and Bro. Brymer was appointed to get his letter. 2nd Com. reported that Sister Lena Brymer said she was very sorry she danced and did not want the church to forgive her and bare (sic) with her. The church accepted the statement and forgave her. 3rd Com. reported that Bro. Bunion Courson did not give any satisfaction and that the church could do as she pleased and the church excluded him. 4th Com. reported that they had not seen Bro. Lonie Smith but as he had offended the church so often publicly the church excluded him and discharged the committee. 5th New business. The following S. S. officers was elected– W.

A. Green, Supt; Dr. Kimbro, assistant; Alice Johnson, sect.; A. W. Hughen, teacher of the Bible class; Sister Kimbro, teacher of the Intermediate class; Alice Johnson, teacher of the primary class. Conference adjourned until our next regular meeting day.
W. A. Green, mod. prot. J. H. Johnson, church clerk

Central Baptist Church May 12th 1901
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. The minute of last meeting being absent, the church take up the business as follows. 1st The following letters was called for and granted. 2nd Bro. W. A. Hughen and family. 3rd Bro. Elijah Slocumb and wife. 4th Bro. Frank Slocumb and wife. 5th Bro. Edward Johnson and wife. 6th The church elected S. S. teachers as follows– Dr. B. P. Kimbro, teacher of the Bible class; J. H. Johnson, teacher of the Intermediate class, and Sister Mattie Green, teacher of the infant class. 7th Conference adjourned until our next regular meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson ch clk

Central Baptist Church June 8th 1901
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of two last meetings was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. Bro. Brymer made a report and church accepted his reports and discharged him from the committee. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Letters of dismission was called for for Bro. J. R Rodgers and family which was granted and the clerk ordered to write the letters. Conference adjourned until our next regular meeting.
Rev. W. C. Harley, mod. J. H. Johnson ck clk

Central Baptist Church July 13th 1901
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. There being none the church taken up the unfinished [new] business as follows. 1st Bros. W. A. Green, Jacob McDougald and Dr. B. P. Kimbro was appointed a committee to get subscription to ceil our house. 2nd A motion was carried to protract our meeting at our regular meeting day in Aug. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet on Saturday before the second Sabbath in Aug, 1901.
Rev. W. C. Harley Mod. J. H. Johnson ch clerk

Central Baptist Church Aug 10th 1901
As pastor was absent conference deferred until 12th. As it was our appointed time for a series of meetings, we met from day to day. August 12. Our pastor still absent, Dr. B. P. Kimbro was elected mod prot. 1st Minutes was read and adopted. 2nd Chairman of committee on ceiling reported as follows: we your committee have employed Bro. E. T. Johnson to put up the ceiling at $30.00. Report accepted. Committee continued. 3rd A motion was carried that we invite Bro. T. E. Morgan to conduct our preaching services and Bro. W. A. Green was appointed to carry the invitation to him. Bro. Morgan accepted the invitation and preached two sermons a day from 13th until 17th. We had three additions to our church by baptism, as follows, Vester Courson, Janie Shurtloff and Will Jennings.

Our church payed Bro. Morgan $6.00 for his services. August 17th A motion was carried that he be invited to me [meet] the church at the place for baptism and attend to that ordinance at 4 o'clock p.m. A[ug.] 20. 2nd A motion was carried to go into the election of delegates to the association which resulted as follows, Bros. B. P. Kimbo, W. A. Green & J. H. Johnson, delegates; J A. Cone & A. M. Gamble alternates. 3rd A motion was carried that we send one dollar and fifty cts. for minutes. 4th Bro. Tomas Green called for a letter of dismission which was granted. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at the creek at 4 p.m. on the 20th. Aug. 20th Bro. Morgan attended to the ordinance of baptism. Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
B. P. Kimbro, mod. prot. J. H. Johnson church ck

Central Baptist Church Sept. 7th 1901
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st Chairman of ceiling committee reported as follows, we have ceiled our house and $8.00 behind on work. The church accepted the report and discharged the committee. 2nd The deacon ordered to collect and settle all debts against the church. 3rd Called for new business. 1st Sister Susie Judkins made acknowledgment for dancing and ask the church to forgive her and the church forgave her. 2nd Sister Judkins called for a letter of dismission so she could join Mt. Olive. The letter was granted and the clerk ordered to write the letter. 3rd Bro. Z. R. Wheat made acknowledgment for getting drunk. The church accepted the acknowledgment and forgave him. 4th A motion was carried that we reject the statement from Promise Land Church in regard to Bro. Ab Knight's case. 5th A motion was carried that the clerk call the roll of our members. 6th Brethren B. P. Kimbro and J. A. Cone was appointed to assist the clerk in writing to our members that are away. 7th A motion was carried that the clerk revise the list of names of our members and call the roll again at our next meeting. 8th Dr. Kimbro resigned the sexton-ship and Bro. Levy Willcoxon was elected in his place and the church agreed to pay Bro. Levy 50 cents a month for his services in that place. 9th Bro. Thomas Green asked the church to recind (sic) the act of granting his letter. The act was rescended and the clerk ordered to call on him for the letter. 10th Conference adjourned to meet from time as we was going into a series of meetings we continued to meet from day to day thru the week And our meeting resulted as follows, received Miss Abbie Franklin for baptism and Brethren F. P. Courson, Columbus Courson and John Courson by restoration. Conference adjourned to meet on 22 day of September.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, church ck

Sept. 22nd Central Baptist Church met in conference. 1st J. H. Johnson was elected moderator pro tem. After reading and prayer, Bro. J. A. Cone was appointed clerk pro. 2nd The letter to the association was read and adopted. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at our regular day.
J. H. Johnson, Mod. Pro tem J. A. Cone Clerk

Central Baptist Church October 13th 1901
After service by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Corresponding committee called for more time which was granted. 3rd Clerk proceeded to call the roll in the revised list. 4th The baptizing was set for 10 o'clock the following morning. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at 11 o'clock the 14th Re. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, clerk

Sunday morning, Oct. the 14th 1901
After the baptizing the church meet at the house in conference. 1st The right of church fellowship was extended to Sister Abbie Franklin. 2nd The following delegates was elected to represent us in the state convention, to-wit, Bro. and Sister Green and Dr. B. P. Kimbro. 3rd Bro. T. G. Gamble called for letter of dismission from this church which was granted. 4th Bro. Guss Pierce called for letters of dismission for himself and wife, which was granted and the clerk ordered to write the above letters. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley Mod. J. H. Johnson Church clerk

Central Baptist Church Nov. 9th 1901
As our services was so late, the church postponed conference until 11 o'clock on the following morning. Nov. 10 After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Correspondence Com. called for more time which was granted. 2nd Bro. Harley stated he was in need of some money and the church proceeded to collect and pay him the collection, amounting to $13.55. Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson Clerk

Central Baptist Church Dec. 7th 1901
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Called for unfinished business. 1st Corresponding Committee reported as follows, we have written to the following Bro. and Sisters, Joe and Allie Denton, Allie Whetstone, Marry Ferguson, Mattie Earley, Lissie Evans and Hawood Kimbro and had not heard from either of them. Report accepted and committee con[tinued]. 2nd Conference adjourned to meet on tomorrow. Dec. 8 The church asked Bro. Harley to meet with her at her next regular meeting at which time the church would call a pastor for next year. The deacon settled in full with Bro. Harley for his services for the year 1901. Conference adjourned to meet at 11 o'clock on Saturday before the second Sunday in January, 1902.
W. C. Harley, Mod. John Johnson Ch Clerk

Central Baptist Church Jan 11th 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st The minutes [of the last] meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. 1st Corresponding Committee reported as follows: We have not heard from any of the members that are

away. Report was accepted and com. continued. 2nd The calling of pastor was deferred until Sunday. 3rd The church re-elected J. H. Johnson as clerk for the year 1902. 4th Conference adjourned to meet on tomorrow after services.
Sunday, Jan. 12, 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st The church went into the election of a pastor which resulted in the unanimous election of Bro. Harley for an indefinite time and promised to pay him at the rate of $75.00 Seventy-five dollars per year. 2nd Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day at 11 o'clock.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson C. C.

Central Baptist Church Feb. 8th 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. The minutes of last meeting absent, the church taken up the new business as follows. 1st The clerk read a letter from Bro. Otis McDougald asking the church to forgive him for his unchristian conduct as he was sorrow (sic) he had lived in such a way and wanted to live in the church and try to serve God his Maker the rest of his life and also wanted a letter of dismission that he may join Hopewell Baptist Church in Tex. The church forgave him and granted him a letter of dismission in full fellowship. Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, clerk

Central Missionary Baptist Church March 8, 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The church preferred charges against the following Bros. and Sisters for contempt of the church as follows, Joe Denton, Hawood Kimbro, Alonzo Green, Allie Denton, Allie Whetstone, Lizzie Eavins, Mattie Earley and Mary Fergerson and clerk ordered to notify them of the charge. 3rd The clerk was appointed to take the money collected by the sisters and buy wall lamp for the church house. 4th Bro. W. A. Green called for a letter of dismission for Bro. Thomas Green which was granted. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at our next meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church Apr 12th 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes were read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st Clerk stated that he had heard from the following bros. and sisters, Joe and Allie Denton, Hawood Kimbro, and Mattie Earley calling for letters of dismission which was granted and clerk ordered to write the letters. Sister Mary Furgason stated that she had joined the Campbellites [Church of Christ]. The church withdrew fellowship from her for contempt of the church. 3rd Clerk stated that he had not been to town, therefore had not got the lamps. 4th Called for new business. 1st A motion to elect a deacon at our next meeting. 2nd Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley Mod. J. H. Johnson Clerk

Central Baptist Church May 10th 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last [meeting] were read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st Clerk stated that he had not heard from any more of the members that were away whitch (sic) were Sisters Allie Wheatstone and Lizza Eavins. 2nd Motion was carried that we withdraw fellowship from the sisters for contempt of the church. 3rd The election of a deacon was deferred until tomorrow. 4th Clerk presented the lamps he had brought and the church accepted them and discharged him from the committee. 5th Conference adjourned. Sunday, the 11th. After services, the church assembled in conference and went into the election of deacon and Bro. Brymer was elected. 2nd Clerk stated that Sister Allie Franklin wanted a letter of dismission which was granted and the clerk ordered to write same.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, clerk

Central Baptist Church June 7th 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. There being none, called for new business. 1st Bro. Brymer asked the church to rescind the act of electing him a deacon. A motion carried and the act was rescinded. 2nd A motion was carried that we elect Bro. W. A. Green deacon by acclamation and he was elected. 3rd A motion carried to extend an invitation to old Dr. Kimbro to preach at our house on the third Lord's day in June. 4th Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting day in July.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson Clerk

Central Baptist Church July 12th 1902
After services by Bro. W. C. Harley, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st A motion carried that we attend to the ordaining of Bro. Green to the office of deacon at our next regular meeting day on Sunday and the clerk ordered to invite Bro. Morgan and J. H. Riley of Mount Olive and Bro. J. W. Willcoxon of Shiloh to act as presbytery in the work. 3rd Call for new business. 1st The church preferred charges and excluded Bro. Lum Courson for getting drunk and using profane language. 4th Conference adjourned to meet on Saturday before the second Lord's day in Aug.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church Aug. 9th 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. First, minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business, there being none. 3rd Call for unfinished [new] business. By mutual agreement the church went into a series of meetings. 4th. Conference adjourned until the 10th.
Aug. 10th After services by Bro. Harley, the church attended to ordaining Bro. Green into the deacon ship of the church. After having services twice a day for six days and receiving one by letter, conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day in Sept.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Berea: Be it hereby resolved that the Central Baptist Church worshiping at Berea endorse the General Association of Ark. and hereby pledge our entire support to the same. 2nd Be it resolved that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the Arkansas Baptist for publication and that a copy be spread on our church record. Adopted in conference this the 28th Sept. 1902
B. P. Kimbro, Mod. Pro. J. H. Johnson. C. C.

Good Words for Our Pastor
Whereas, our beloved pastor Bro. W. C. Harley feels it his duty to serve God and labor with his people in a different field and whereas, in giving up our pastor the church feels that it has parted with a faithful pastor and an able and fearless preacher, a noble character and a consecrated life; and, whereas, The workings of our church are not what we would like although we do not feel it his fault in the least, for he has preached the Gospel with power and demonstration, giving us a greater conception of the Bible and its teachings, therefore be it resolved; That one who has been so true and faithful in his ministry to us will be greatly missed and that we most highly recommend him to the church to which he shall serve and consider them fortunate in securing such a pastor. 2nd That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon of [our] church record and one furnished Bro. W. C. Harley. Done by order of the church in conference, 28th Sept. 1902
B. P. Kimbro, Mod. Pro. J. H. Johnson C. C.

Central Baptist Church Oct. 11th 1902
The church met in conference after services by Bro. Harley. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. There being no unfinished business, the church taken up the new business as follows, 1st The clerk recommended that the church cooperate with the Association board which was adopted and the clerk ordered to meet with the district meetings and cooperate with the board. 2nd Bros. J. B. Jackson and A. W. Green was elected to represent us at the General Association. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson C. C.

Central Baptist Church Nov. 8th 1902
After services by Bro. Harley, the clerk being absent the conference was deferred until tomorrow. Nov. 9th After services by Bro. Harley, the church assembled in conference. Minutes being absent, the church taken up the new business as follows, 1st As Bro. Harley was going to leave us, a motion was carried that we call a pastor for another year. 2nd A motion carried that we call Bro. Morgan by acclamation and he was unanimously elected. Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Rev. W. C. Harley, Mod. J. H. Johnson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church, Jan. 10th 1903
Services by Bro. Morgan. Clerk absent. No conference.
Bor. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson Clerk

Central Baptist Church Feb. 1903
Pastor absent. No conference.
J. H. Johnson

Central Baptist Church Mar 7th 1903
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of Oct. and Nov. meetings were read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business, there being [none]. The church taken up the new business as follows, 1st A motion to exclude Bro. John Courson for the sin of drunkness was carried and the church withdrew fellowship with him 2nd A motion carried to change our conference meeting from 11 o'clock a.m. to 3 o'clock p.m. 3rd Motion carried to have church communion on the second Sunday in April. 4th Conference adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock on Saturday before the second Lord's Day in April.
Rev. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Church Clerk

Central Baptist Church Apr 11th 1903
The pastor being absent, Bro. Kimbro was elected mod pro. After reading and prayer, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. There being none, the church taken up the new business as follows, 1st Charges was preferred against Sister Laury Stanley for the sin of dancing. Bro. W. A. Green and clerk was appointed as a committee to see the sister. Sister Minnie Hawthorn called for a letter of dismission which was granted. Conference adjourned to meet at our next meeting day.
Rev. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church May 9th 1903
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Committee reported that Sister Laura Stanley said she was sorry and ashamed of dancing and ask the church to forgive her. The church forgave the sister and discharged the committee. 3nd A motion carried that we take a collection to be divided between orphans home and association mission. 4th Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
Rev. T. G. Morgan Moderator J. H. Johnson Ch Clerk

Central Baptist Church June 13th 1903
After services by Bro. T. G. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. Minutes of last meeting being absent, reading of same was deferred. 2nd Motion carried that we protract our meeting at our meeting in July. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day in July.
T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson Ch Clerk

Central Baptist Church July 11th 1903
As it rained all day, we did not have any services. Sunday, July 12, after [services] by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st. Bro. C. E. Courson presented a

letter of dismission from Promise Land Church for himself and wife which was accepted by this church and they were received into full fellowship with us. 2nd A motion carried that we postpone our protracted services until our next meeting. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day in Aug.
Rev. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, C. C.

August, 1903
Owing to the small pox being in our community, there were no services.

Central Baptist Church Sept. 13th 1903
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st An opportunity for membership was offered and Sister Allie Williams presented a letter of dismission from Mt. Olive Church which was accepted and she was received into full fellowship with us. 2nd Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. 3rd A motion carried that we elect messengers to the association. Bros. W. A. Green, Brymer and C. E. Courson was elected messengers. J. A. Cone and J. H. J[ohnson]. alternates. 4th A motion to carried to elect messengers to the general association, Bros. B. P. Kimbro, T. J. Brymer and J. H. Johnson was elected messengers and A. M. Gammel alternate. Conference adjourned to meet from time to time as we were going to have a few days of meetings.

September 15, 1903
Resolve that whereas we the Baptist Church of Christ worshiping at Central are convinced by the teaching of God's word that we committed a wrong in withdrawing fellowship from Bro. James Knight, Sr., for a personal offense. And as we are the children of God and join arms with the Lord Jesus Christ "our Savior" desire to right this wrong that we invite Bro. Knight to meet with the church at 4:30 o'clock this eve in conference or set some time in the near future ro meet the church and allow the church to rescind the act and restore him to the full fellowship with us and that a committee of three members of the church at Central be appointed to deliver the invitation and read this resolution to the Bro. and report at conference. Also be it resolved that a copy of this resolution be put on our church record. Adopted in conference this the 15 day of Sept. 1903

Tuesday the 15. After adopting the above resolution, the church rescinded the act of excluding Bro. Knight, and he was restored to full fellowship in the church. Wednesday, 16th The letter to the association was read and adopted. As Sister Morgan was sick and our pastor was called away, the closed our meeting. Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
B. P. Kimbro Mod. Pro. J. H. J, C. C.

Central Baptist Church Oct 10th 1903
After prayer services, the church assembled in conference. As the pastor was absent, Bro. B. P. Kimbro was elected mod. pro. Clerk absent. Bro. T. J. Brymer was appointed clerk pro. Conference adjourned to meet eleven o'clock on tomorrow.

Sunday, Oct 11th 1903
Pastor absent. Bro. W. A. Green was elected mod. prot. 1st A motion carried that we elect a pastor for the year 1904. 2nd A motion carried to dispense with the rule and elect by acclamation. The vote was cast and Bro. T. G. Morgan was unanimously elected. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
W. A. Green, Mod. Prot. J. H. Johnson, clerk

Central Baptist Church Nov. 7th 1903
As pastor was absent, Bro. W. A. Green was elected mod. prot. After song and prayer, the minutes of the two last meetings were read and adopted. 2nd A motion carried that we invite Bro. Lutor Week to preach in our house at convenient appointment of his own. 3rd Dr. B. P. Kimbro was appointed to notify him through Bro. Jon. L. Thomason. 4th Conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
W. A. Green, Mod. Prot. J. H. Johnson, clerk

Central Baptist Church Dec 13th 1903
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st An opportunity was offered for membership. 2nd The minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Called for unfinished business. There being none, the church taken up the new business as follows. 1st A letter of dismission was call for Bro. John Powell and wife which was granted and clerk ordered to write same. 2nd Bro. Morgan notified the church that he would serve as our pastor for A. D. 1904. Conference adjourned to meet at 11 o'clock on Saturday before the second Lord's day in Jan 1904. Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church Jan. 9th 1904
Services by Bro. Morgan, conference deferred. Jan 10th After services by Bro. a motion carried that we have conference. 1st An opportunity was offered for membership. None presented themselves. 2nd Minutes was not present. Reading of same was deferred. 3rd Call for unfinished business. There were none. 4th Called for unfinished [new] business. There were none. 5th Conference adjourned to meet on Saturday before the second Lord's Day in Feb.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, clerk

Central Baptist Church Feb 13th 1904
Services by Bro. T. G. Morgan. Church assembled in conference. Reading of minutes was deferred. 2nd A motion carried to change our conference meeting from 11 o'clock a.m. to 3 o'clock p.m. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock on Saturday before the second Sabbath in March.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, clerk

Central Baptist Church March 12th 1904
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of the last two meetings were read and adopted. 2nd There being nothing before the church,

conference adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock on Saturday before the second Sabbath in April. Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church Apr 9th 1904
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. Clerk stated that he had collected 18 bu. of corn and 25 cents in money on our pledge to the orphan home. A motion carried to accept the report and that same be put on record. 2nd A motion carried that we take a collection on tomorrow for state missions. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular day in June. (Sunday, Col. $5.00)
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church May 11th 1904
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. None. 3rd Called for new business. 1st A motion carried that we have the articles of faith and church covenant read at our next regular meeting. After announcing that the church would observe the Lord's Supper on tomorrow, the 12 inst, conference adjourned to meet on Saturday before the second Sabbath in July.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church June 11th 1904
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. There being none. 3rd Call for new business. 1st A motion carried to have the church covenant read at our next meeting. After announcing that we would observe the Lord's Supper on tomorrow, conference adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day in July.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, C. Clerk

Central Baptist Church July 9th 1904
After service by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. Adjourned to meet on tomorrow. Sunday the 10. After services by Bro. Morgan, the minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. Called for references. 2nd Clerk read the church covenant and rules of decorum. 3rd A motion carried that we observe the Lord's Supper in May and Sept. of each year. 4th A motion carried that we would hold a series of meetings at our regular meeting in Aug. 5th Conference adjourned to meet at our regular meeting day.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, C. Clerk

Central Baptist Church Aug 13th 1904
As Bro. Morgan was in a meeting at Promise Land, conference was deferred until after services at 7 p.m. on the 14th.
Sunday night, August 14/04
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. As it was our set time for our protracted services,

conference adjourned to meet from time to time. Wednesday, the 17th. The church came together for conference. Clerk being absent, Bro. J. A. Cone was appointed clerk pro tem. Bro. Morgan presented a subscription list of $80.00 (dollars) he had raised for the purpose of painting our church house. Brethren B. P. Kimbro, T. J. Brymer and W. A. Green was appointed as committee to buy the paint and employ a man to do the work. During our services the Lord blest us from time to time and the following Brethren and sisters were added to the church– by letter, Rebecca Martin, John Williams, Emory Williams, T. G. Green, Samuel Lowery and Sister Lowery; by restoration, W. W. Slocum, John Courson, Bunion Courson, Chas. Knight, Vester Smith and Lonie Smith; by baptism, Walter McDougald, Earnist McDougald, Carrol Franklin, G. W. Franklin, Chester Franklin, John H. Martin, Zela Martin, Jacob Herren, T. B. Reddin, C. A. Williams, Grider [Grida] Courson, J. B. Courson, Carrol Kimbro, Alvia Kimbro, Kelsy Word [Ward], Jas. Graham and W. O. Shurtleff; Sisters Rebecca Herren, Sallie Franklin, Hattie Franklin, Hyla Kimbro, Willie Courson, Crista L. Smith, Jessie Smith, Johnie Martin, Velma Martin, H. C. Reddin, Adena Courson, Annie Graham, Florra Wheet [Florie Wheat].
Aug. 21. Meeting closed to meet at our next regular meeting day in Sept.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church held called conference Aug 28 for the purpose of electing messengers to the association. Bro. W. A. Green was elected mod. pro. After reading and prayer the church went into the election which resulted as follows, C. A. Williams, J. H. Martin and W. O. Shurtleff as messengers and T. B. Reddin, J. T. Green alternates. Brethren C. A. Williams, Chas. Knight, Walter McDougald, Carrol Franklin, and J. H. Johnson was elected as committee on entertainment to see that all messengers and visitors are cared for during the association with us. A motion was carried to send one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50) for minutes. Conference adjourned to meet in Sept.
Bro. W. A. Green, Mod. Prot. J. H. Johnson, Clerk

Central Baptist Church Sept. 10th 1904
As pastor was absent, Bro. B. P. Kimbro was elected mod. pro tem. After scripture reading and prayer, the church taken up the business in the usual order. Clerk being absent, C. E. Courson was appointed clerk pro tem. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 2nd The painting committee reported the work done which report was accepted and com. continued. 3th The com. on entertainment reported that they had secured homes for 80 messengers. 4th Conference adjourned.
B. P. Kimbro, Mod. Pro Tem C. E. Courson, pro tem

Sept 11, 1904
As pastor was still absent, Bro. J. C. Stell was elected Mod. prot and clerk absent, C. E. C. appointed clerk pro. The letter to the association was read and adopted. Conference then adjourned to meet at our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell Mod. Prot. C. E. Courson, Clerk Pro.

Central Baptist Church Oct. 8th 1904
After service by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minute of last meeting was adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st Delegate to the association reported that they had pledged $5.00 to the orphan home. 2nd A motion carried to endorse pledge was carried (sic). 2nd Called for new business. 1st A motion carried to elect messengers to the General Association. The following delegates were elected– Brethren B. P. Kimbro, J. R. Franklin, Chas. Knight and J. H. Johnson, alternate. 3rd A motion carried to appoint a committee of three to cooperate with the Promise Land Church and see who we could call as pastor for all of his time equally divided between the two churches. 3rd [4th] A motion was carried to take a collection on tomorrow for state missions to be sent by our messengers to the Gen. Association. 4th [5th]Conference adjourned to meet at eleven o'clock instead of three at our next meeting.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, Clerk
Total col. for state missions $7.13

Central Baptist Church 11/12/04
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Call for unfinished business. 1st The committee appointed to meet with Promise Land reported nothing done and the committee discharged. 3rd Call for new business. 1st Bro. B. P. Kimbro stated that he pledged $5.00 for foreign missions while at the General Association. A motion was carried to accept the report and pay the pledge. The painting committee reported that they had given their note to the bank for the amount yet due on paint. G. W. Franklin was appointed to collect balance pledged on painting and pay for same. Bro. B. P. Kimbro stated that he had bought and paid $1.50 for a church table, which was accepted. Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, mod. J. H. Johnson, C. C.
Recorded by C. E. Courson, Jan. 8, 1905

Central Baptist Church 12/10/04
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. Minutes of last meeting not present, the church taken up the business as follows. 1st Bro. G. W. Franklin reported that he had collected all he could and that the painting was paid for with a balance due on note [of] $3.55, $1.50 for table and $3.25 for oil– total due $8.30. Report received and committee discharged. 2nd Motion carried to postpone calling pastor and electing clerk until tomorrow. 3rd Conference adjourned until tomorrow.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, mod. J. H. Johnson, C. C. Recorded by C. E. Courson, Jan. 8, 1905

Central Baptist Church 12/11/04
After services by Bro Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. Morgan was unanimously called to the care of the church and accepted same and C. A. Williams was elected clerk. 2nd A motion was carried to pay Bro. Morgan $100.00 for his services for the year 1905. 3rd Collection was then taken to pay Bro. Morgan for last year's services, amounting to $27.07, making a total of $108.02 for the year 1904. Conference adjourned

to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Bro. T. G. Morgan, Mod. J. H. Johnson, C. C. Recorded by C. E. Courson, Jan 8, 1905

The fifty-forth annual session of the Bartholomew Regular Baptist Association held with Central Church October 1, 2, and 3. 1904.
Recorded Jan 10th 1905

Central Baptist Church Jan 7, 1905
After service by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. C. A. Williams offered his resignation as clerk through Bro. Shurtleff which was accepted. 2nd Bro. W. O. Shurtleff was appointed clerk pro tem. 3rd Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. 4th Call for new and unfinished business. 5th Letters of dismission were called for for Bro. J. H. Johnson and wife, Alice Johnson, and Sisters Golda Dolhoff and Esther Davis which was granted and clerk ordered to write same. 6th C. E. Courson was elected church clerk for the year 1905. 7th Conference then adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

No conference in February on account of disagreeable weather.
C. E. Courson, church clerk

Central Baptist Church March 11th 1905
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted. 2nd New and unfinished business was called for. 3rd Charges were preferred against Bro. Willey and Sister Maud Slocomb for general unchristian conduct. 4th After discussing the matter, the church withdrew fellowship from them. 5th Motion was carried to change conference hours from 11 o'clock a.m. to 3 o'clock p.m. 6th Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church Apr 8th 1905
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. 2nd New and unfinished business was call for. 3rd Letter of dismission was granted to Sister Flora Wheat and clerk ordered to write same. 4th Motion was carried to elect two deacons on our next regular meeting day. 5th Conference then adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church May 13th 1905
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. 2nd New and unfinish business was call for. 3rd The church went into election of two deacons which resulted in the election of Bro. G. W. Franklin and C. E. Courson to be ordained at some future time. 4th Letter of dismission was granted to Sister Allie Williams and clerk ordered to write same. 5th Bro. Charley

Knight was elected sexton. 6th Bro. B. P. Kimbro requested the church to allow him to make a few statements and read a few passages of scripture, which request was granted. Conference then adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church June the 10, 1905
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted with amendments. 2nd Motion was carried to ordain the deacons the second Sunday in July. 3rd Motion was carried to invite the pastor and deacons of Mt. Olive Church and Bro. Stell and deacons of Promise Land Church to assist in the ordination. 4th Motion was carried to invite Eld. Kimbro to preach Sunday at eleven o'clock June 11th which was accepted. 5th Conference then adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

No conference in July on the account of disagreeable weather.
C. E. Courson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church Aug. 12th 1905
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Motion was carried to ordain deacons the first Sunday in September. 3rd Motion was carried to protract our meeting beginning Saturday night before the first Sunday in September. 4th Letters of dismission was granted to Sisters Ida and Eva Franklin and clerk ordered to write same. 5th Conference adjourn to meet Saturday night before the first Sunday in Sept.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

Sunday, Sept 3rd, 1905
The church met according to previous appointment for the purpose of ordaining Bro. C. E. Courson to the duties of a deacon. The presbytery consisted of Eld. T. G. Morgan, Pastor Eld J. E. Stell, Brethren S. R. Smith, J. H. Riley, and W. A. Green. Bro. Morgan preached the ordination sermon setting forth in his clear and pointed way the duties of a deacon. Bro. Stell led the ordination prayer. As this was the beginning of a series of meetings, conference adjourned to meet from time to time.
Monday, Sept 4th, 1905
The church met in conference at 3 p.m. for special business. 1st Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Motion was carried to elect delegates to the association which resulted in the election of J. T. Green, G. W. Franklin and J. A. Cone, alternates W. A. Green and F. P. Courson. 3rd Motion was carried to send $1.25 for minutes. 4th Letters of dismission were called for Bro. B. P. Kimbro and family which were granted. 5th A resolution was adopted to rescind the act of excluding Sister Maud Slocomb. 6th A resolution was adopted to more perfectly unite the church in the bonds of peace. 7th Sister Maud Slocomb sent acknowledgment by her father, stating that she had danced, was sorry for it, asked the church to forgive her and pray for her which request

was granted. 8th A letter of dismission was granted to Sister Maud Slocomb. 9th A collection amounting to 71 cts was taken to buy oil. The following were added to the church by baptism during our meeting– Sisters Eva Hughen, Ida Oll, Ella Franklin, Kittie Franklin, Lukie Franklin, Leda McDougald. Conference adjourned to meet on Saturday before the fourth Sunday in Sept. at 3 p.m.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

Resolution
Resolved that whereas we the Baptist Church of Christ worshiping at Central are convinced by proof of itself and the teachings of God's word that the charges preferred against Sister Maud Slocomb were founded upon false reports. Therefore, we committed a wrong in withdrawing fellowship from her and as we are the children of God and joint heirs with the Lord Jesus Christ our Savior, we desire to right this wrong and that we rescind the act and restore her to the full fellowship of the church. Also be it resolved that a copy of this resolution be put on our church record.

Resolution
Resolved that whereas there have been some hard feelings existing between some of the members of Central Church and knowing that we must forgive one another in order to be forgiven by our Savior, we do avow [to] forgive each other of any offense that may have been done an pledge each other to lay aside all malice, envy and strife. God helping us and to follow afer the things which make for peace and things wherewith we may edify another.

September 27, 1905
Pastor absent. Bro. W. A. Green was elected mod. pro tem. The letter to the association was read and adopted. 2nd A motion was carried that the 36 cts now in the treasury would be sent to the association in the contribution for minutes. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
W. A. Green, Mod. pro tem C. E. Courson, C. C.

No conference in Oct.
C. E. Courson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church 11/11/05
After services by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Motion was carried to change conference hour from 3 p.m. to 11 a.m. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet on next regular meeting day.
Eld. T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church Dec. 9, 1905
After service by Bro. Morgan, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Letters of dismission was called for Bro.

Jacob and Sister Rebecca Herren which was granted. 3rd Motion carried to postpone calling pastor until Sunday at 11. Conference adjourned to meet Sunday morning the 10, 11 a.m.
Eld T. G. Morgan, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.
[Editor's note: No minutes of the Dec. 10 meeting if it was held].

Jan 13 1906
Central Baptist Church met in conference. Bro. Cone was elected moderator p. t. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Motion was carried to postpone calling of pastor until next regular meeting day. 3rd Motion was carried to invite Bro. J. C. Stell to preach for us on next meeting day. 4th Letters of dismission were granted to the following brethren and sisters, namely, Susie Linder, Josie Linder, Ophelia Rodgers, Henrietta Moore, Ella Franklin, Kittie Franklin, W. A. Green, Mattie Green and J. T. Green. Conference adjourned to meet on next regular meeting day.
J. A. Cone, Mod. pro tem C. E. Courson, C. C.

Central Baptist Church Feb. 10 1906
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Postponed calling pastor indefinitely and invited Bro. Stell to supply the church. 3rd J. A. Cone was elected clerk for the year 1906. 4th Letters of dismission were called for Sister Julia Willcoxon F. H. McDougald, Lena Pistol and Jesse Willcoxon, which were granted. 5th Motion was carried that C. E. Courson assist the clerk in getting up a roll of names of members to be called on Sunday next regular meeting day. 6th Motion was carried to change conference hour from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. 7th The church endorsed Bro. J. A. Cone as supt. of Sunday School. 8th Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell, Mod. C. E. Courson, C. C.

Mar 10, 1906 Central Baptist Church
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Called for references– none. 3rd It was agreed that the church covenant should be read in connection with the roll call on Sunday at 11 a.m. 4th Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone, ch clerk

Central Baptist Church Apr 7, 1906
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Call for references– none. 3rd Motion was carried by a unanimous vote to rescind the former act of excluding Sister Emma George (Knight) 4th A motion by Bro. Courson to take up collection on Sunday at 11 o'clock for Brethren Yohannon and Juridini. Motion carried. 5th Bro. G.W. Franklin was elected delegate to district meeting to be held at Monticello. Bro. Courson ask the church to elect a deacon to fill Bro. Green's place. It as postponed for one month. Conference adjourned.
Sunday, April 8th After services by Bro. Stell, the doors were open for reception of

members. Bro. Charles P. Hanson united with the church by letter of recommendation from Chalcedonia Church, Ala. Bro. Courson took up collection and received $2.31 for missions.
J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone, ch clerk

May 19, 1906 Central Baptist Church
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Bro. Franklin made a report from district meeting which was accepted. 3rd The matter of electing deacon was further deferred on motion by Bro. J R. Franklin. 4th The church invited Bro. Stonnell to preach for us at some time suitable to his own convenience. 5th Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone, C. C.

June 9th 1906 Central Baptist Church
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes were read and adopted. 2nd Bro. Courson slated that Bro. Stonnell failed to accept the invitation to preach for us. 3rd Bro. Wiley Buchanan made acknowledgments to the church and was restored to full fellowship. 4th Bro. John Courson was excluded by his own request. 5th Charges was preferred against Bro. James Graham for profanity and a committee of one, Jake McDougald, was appointed to confer with him and report at our next meeting. 6th The roll was called and there being several members who have moved away the clerk was instructed to write to them and report at our next meeting. 7th Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone, C. C.

July 7th 1906 Central Baptist Church
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes were read and adopted. 2nd Sister Mary Knight made acknowledgments and was restored to full fellowship. 3rd Bro. James Graham's case was taken up and as he failed to make satisfaction, the church withdrew fellowship from him. 4th The clerk stated he hadn't heard from any of the members that he had written to and he was granted more time. 5th The church agreed to have a series of meetings to begin on the second Saturday in Aug and invited Bro. Turner to assist Bro. Stell. 6th Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell, Moderator J. A. Cone, Clerk

Aug 11, 1906 Central Baptist Church
After service by Bro. Stonnell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 2nd Bro. Courson stated that he had heard from Bro. and Sister Lowry and he made a statement for them which was accepted. 3rd Bro. Courson was appointed to assist the clerk on corresponding committee. 4th As it was the beginning of a series of meetings, we met twice a day for one week. Bro. Stonnell did the preaching. The meeting resulted in four additions to the church as follows, Bro. Tom

West and Webster Shurtliff to be baptized at three o'clock on the second Sunday in September and Abner Knight and Wiley Slocomb by restoration. The church being greatly revived, the meeting closed on the night of the 12th to meet again on our next regular day.
J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone, Clerk

Sept. 8, 1906 Central Baptist Church
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes were read and adopted. 2nd Com. to correspond with members were granted more time. 3rd Letters of dismission were granted to Sisters Georgie Campbell and Josephine Gammel. 4th The matter of electing delegates to association, also to General Association, was brought up and deferred until Sunday at 11 o'clock. 5th A motion was carried to call pastor at 11 o'clock Sunday. 6th Conference adjourned to meet on Sunday at 11 o'clock.
Bro. J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone ch. clerk
Sunday morning, Sept. 9, 1906. After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference for the purpose of electing of delegates to association and to call pastor next year. Brethren Ever Courson, C. P. Hanson and Abner Knight were elected delegates and Sisters Mary Knight and Abbie Franklin alternates. Bro. Stonnell was unanimously called as pastor for next year. Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone, clerk

October 14, 1906 Central Baptist Church
The church assembled in conference by electing Bro. C. E. Courson mod pro tem. 1st Minutes were read and adopted. 2nd Com. to correspond with members made a report which was accepted and com. discharged. 3rd Delegates were elected to general association as follows, Brethren C. P. Hanson, A. B. Knight and J. A. Cone. 4th The church pledged $5.00 for state missions. 5th A com. was appointed to look after pastor as follows, Brethren A. B. Knight, C. P. Hanson, C. E. Courson and J. A. Cone. Conference adjourned to meet Oct. 28
C. E. Courson, Mod. J. A. Cone, clerk

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Central Baptist Church, Nov. 11, 1906
The church assembled in conference and elected Bro. Hanson mod pro tem. 1st Minutes were read and adopted. Secondly, com. to correspond with preachers made report, but no pastor being secured. Sister Shurtliff was added to the committee and committee granted more time. Third, the church invited Bro. Webb to preach at 3 o'clock p.m. on next Sunday. Fourth, a collection was taken for state missions and received $2.45. Fifth, the church invited Bro. Morgan to preach at any time that suited his own convenience. Sixth, conference adjourned to meet any time the church sees proper.
Bro. C. P. Hanson, Mod pro tem J. A. Cone, C. C., Recorded by A. M. Gammel

Central Baptist Church April 21, 1907
The church assembled in conference and elected Bro. C. E. Courson mod pro tem. The minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted after which the committee to secure pastor made report. Bro. Franklin presented a letter from Bro. Meredith which was read to the church and the church called Bro. Meredith to preach one-fourth time for the remainder of the year. A letter was read from Bro. Wiley Buchanan asking the church to license him to preach. The matter was deferred until a more convenient time, after which a letter of dismission was granted to Bro. Abner Knight. Conference then adjourned to meet at any time the [church] sees proper.
C. E. Courson, Mod. pro tem J. A. Cone, C. C., Recorded by A. M. Gammel

Central Baptist Church August 10, 1907
After services by Bro. Stell, the church assembled in conference. 1st Doors were opened for reception of members. 2nd Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. 3rd Called for unfinished business. The matter of licensing Bro. Wiley Buchanan was deferred, and Bro. Buchanan was invited to meet with the church and prove himself worthy. 4th Letters were granted to Brethren Thomas Walter and Earnest McDougald and Sisters Elijie and Lela McDougald. 5th A letter of recommendation was granted to Sister Martha McPherson. 6th The church invited Bro. Stell to meet with us and preach once a month on second Sunday in each month and Saturday before. 7th Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
J. C. Stell, Mod. J. A. Cone, Clerk Recorded by A. M. Gammel

Sept. 8, 1907
Central Baptist Church met in protracted services by Bro. W. E. Collins. The meeting continued until Sunday the 15th. After preaching by Bro. Collins, the church assembled in conference. 1st Bro. Collins was elected mod. 2nd Motion was made to elect a clerk which resulted in the election of A. M. Gammel. 3rd Minutes of August meeting was read and adopted. 4th Called for references. The clerk was instructed to write to Bro. Buchanan to meet with the church. 5th Bro. Willie Lee and wife, Mary Lee, was granted letters of dismission. 6th The church went into election of a pastor. Bro. Collins was elected pastor of the church. Motion was made to adjourn to meet at the water at 3 o'clock p.m. for baptism [of] James Birchfield, Walter Shirtliff, Charley Williamson, Pryor Ward, Leonard Williams. India Doss, by letter. The church adjourned at the water to meet at 3 o'clock p.m. at the church September 22 for the purpose of extending the right hands of church fellowship.
Bro. Collins, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Sept. 22, 1907
Central Baptist Church of Christ met in conference. On motion, Bro. James Franklin was elected moderator. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The church promised to pay Bro. Collins $100 for his services this associational year. 3rd The church went into the election of delegates to the association for which Dr. Chas. P. Hanson, James Shirtleff, Abbie Franklin was chosen. Alternates, James Birchfield, Web Shirtleff

was chosen. 4th One dollar was paid for minutes. 5th The church extended the right hand of church fellowship, after which the conference adjourned to meet the 29 of Sept.
Bro. James Franklin, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Sept. 29, 1907
Central Baptist Church met in conference on motion. Bro. T. J. Brymer was elected moderator. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Association letter was read and adopted. 3rd Letter was granted to Bro. Monroe Smith. 4th Collection was taken up for which $1.05 was raised and sent to the orphans home. 5th Conference adjourned to meet on Saturday before the second Sunday in Oct.
Bro. T. J. Brymer, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

April 4, 1908 Central Baptist Church of Christ
After services by Bro. Bray, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Called for unfinished business. Sister Kate Burchfield was received into full fellowship of the church. 3rd Called for new business. Motion was carried to raise money to buy church record for which $1.50 was raised. 4th Motion was carried to have series of meetings to commence on Saturday before the first Sunday in September. Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
Bro. G. W. Bray, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

May 2nd 1908
Central Baptist Church of Christ met in conference with Bro. G. W. Bray moderator. 1st The church went into the election of a pastor for the remainder of the year 1908 and Bro. G. W. Bray was unanimously elected as pastor. 2nd The church then went into the election of deacons. A. M. Gammel, G. W. Franklin was elected and the deacons of Mt. Olive was invited to be present to assist in the ordination to take place on the first Sunday in July. 3rd Motion was carried that the church pay the pastor $75.00 for his services for this calendar year, making $6.25 a month. Conference adjourned to meet on our next regular meeting day.
G. W. Bray, Mod. Dr. Chas. P. Hanson, c. c. pro tem

June 6, 1908 Central Baptist Church of Christ
After services by Bro. Bray, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The regular order of business was taken up and letters was granted to sister Gennie Moffitt and a letter was granted to Bro. Ambrose Cone. 3rd Conference adjourned to meet Sunday, July 7, 1908, for the purpose of ordaining Bros. G. W. Franklin and A., M. Gammel to the duties of deacons. The presbytery consisting of Eld. G. W. Bray, Pastor; Brethren J. H. Riley, J. Eleansburg, Bro. Bray preached the ordination sermon setting forth in a clear and pointed way the duties of a deacon. Bro. J. H. Riley leading the ordination. Prayer. Conference adjourned to meet on our regular meeting day.
G. W. Bray, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Central Baptist Church of Christ August 1st 1908
After services by Bro. G. W. Bray, the church met in conference. 1st Giving opportunity for membership. 2nd The church elected messengers to the association which resulted in the election of Bro. Charley Williamson, J. W. Burchfield, G. W. Franklin, A. M. Gammel. 3rd It was moved and carried that a committee be appointed to raise mission funds for which Sister Laura Hanson, Kate Burchfield, Eliza Courson, Sister Ogletree was appointed. There being no further business, conference adjourned to met on our next regular meeting day.
G. W. Bray, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Central Baptist Church of Christ Sept. 6, 1908
After services by Bro. G. W. Bray, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted by stroking out whereas the protracted meeting was to commence on Saturday before the first Sunday in Sept., and was conducted commencing August 18. 2nd Minutes of September the 18 was read and adopted. [Editor's note: The clerk apparently misdated the minutes. The records do not reflect a conference on Sept. 18.] 3rd Associational letter was read and adopted. 4th Conference adjourned to meet our next regular meeting day.
G. W. Bray, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Central Baptist Church of Christ Oct. 13, 1907
After services by G. W. Bray, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. There being no business to come before the house, conference adjourned. No appointed time to meet.
Bro. G. W. Bray, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Central Baptist Church of Christ Nov. 1st 1908
After services by Bro. G. W. Bray, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of previous meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The church asked Bro. Bray to resign as pastor of the church for which [he] was agreeable and his resignation offered and accepted by the church. There being no further business, conference adjourned. No appointed time to meet.
G. W. Bray, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Central Baptist Church of Christ January 31, 1909
The church assembled together, expecting Bro. Collins. Bro. Collins failing to come, the church assembled in conference. Bro. J. H. Riley elected moderator. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The church went into the election of a pastor for which Bro. W. E. Collins was unanimously elected pastor of the church. 3rd The clerk was instructed to notify Bro. Collins. There being no further business, adjourned to meet at 11 o'clock the second Sunday in Feb.
Bro. J. H. Riley, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

Central Baptist Church of Christ Feb. 21, 1909
After services by Bro. W. E. Collins, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The salary for Bro. Collins was discussed and postponed until next meeting. 3rd Motion was carried to have our regular meeting day on Saturday before the second Sunday of each month. There being no further business, conference adjourned to meet Saturday before the second Sunday in March.
Bro. W. E. Collins, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

April the 11, 1909 Central Baptist Church of Christ
After services by Bro. W. E. Collins, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The church agreed to pay Bro. Collins at the rates of $100 for this associational year for his services. 3rd Letters was granted to Bro. Charles Knight and wife. 4th Letter was granted to Sister Abbie Franklin. 5th Letter was called for Bro. Wiley Buchanan, was postponed until next meeting for investigation. There being no further business, conference adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock on Saturday before the second Sunday in May.
W.E. Collins, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

May the 9th 1909 Central Baptist Church of Christ
After services by Bro. W. E. Collins, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Letter was granted to Bro. Wiley Buchanan. 3rd Letter was granted to Sister Hattie Franklin. 4th The get-together meeting was discussed and adoption postponed until next meeting. There being no further business, conference adjourned to meet at 3 p.m. on Saturday before the second Sunday in June.
W. E. Collins, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C.

July the 11, 1909 Central Baptist Church of Christ
After services by Bro. W. E. Collins, the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd The get-together meeting was adopted by the church by unanimous vote. 3rd The clerk instructed to notify Bro. W. M. Webb of the adoption. 4th Motion was carried that we have a protracted meeting to convene on Saturday before the second Sunday in August. There being no further business, conference adjourned to meet at three o'clock p.m. on Saturday before the second Sunday in August.
W. E. Collins, Mod. A.M. Gammel, C. C.

Sept. 12, 1909
Central Baptist Church assembled together to hear Bro. Collins' last sermon for this year, subject church covenant, which was very instructive and impressive, after which the church assembled in conference. 1st Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. Letters were granted to Sister Allie Naft. Letters was granted to Sisters Mattie & Lukie Franklin and Bro. Carroll Franklin. 2nd The clerk was instructed to write to Bro. Redding to send a statement of his fellowship with the church as the church desires this before granting a letter. 3rd A motion was carried that no letter be granted hereafter unless those

desiring a letter give some account of themselves. 4th Bro. W. A. Shurteff, Sister Alice Shurtleff and Dr. Chas. P. Hanson were elected messengers to the association. There being no further business, conference adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock p.m. the fourth Sunday in Sept.
Bro. W. E. Collins, Mod. A. M. Gammel, C. C. Recorded by Chas. P. Hanson, Dec. 10, 1910 [1909]

Sept. 26, 1909
Central Baptist Church met in conference and Bro. J. H. Riley was elected moderator pro tem. 1st Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 2nd Letters were granted to Bro. T. B. Redding and wife. 3rd The association letter was read and adopted. 4th A motion to elect a clerk, which was carried and Dr. Chas. P. Hanson was elected. 5th A motion to adjourn.
J. H. Riley, Mod. pro tem Chas. P. Hanson, C. C.

July 3, 1910
Central and Mount Olive Baptist Churches assembled together to hold a week's meeting conducted by our missionary, Rev. G. E. Holt and assisted by Rev. Johnson. 1st Bros. Holt and Johnson did some good work and preaching, and the churches were greatly revived, and the meeting resulted in the addition to Central Church of Bro. E. A. Franklin who was restored to full fellowship and Miss Lula Belle Stanley and Ben Berry were received for baptism and after baptism into the full fellowship of the church. The meeting closed after the baptizing at the water's edge.
Rev. G. E. Holt, Mod. Chas. P. Hanson, C. C.

Sept. 18, 1910
Central Baptist Church assembled together for services by Bro. J. C. Stell. After preaching, the church went into conference. 1st No minutes of last meeting on hand. No new business was called. 2nd Church granted letters to Sister Ada Williams and Bro. Levi Willcoxon. 3rd Appointed delegates to the association as follows, Bros. Geo. W. Franklin, and W. A. Shurtleff and Sister Alice Shurtleff. 4th The association letter was read and adopted. 5th Motion to adjourn.
Bro. J. C. Stell, Mod. G. W. Franklin C. C. pro tem

Berea, Ark. Sunday, December 11, 1910
Central Baptist Church assembled together after services by Bro. Bell. After preaching, the church went into conference. 1st The doors of the church were opened for membership. 2nd Minutes of September 18, 1909, were read and adopted as read. 3rd The church ordered the clerk to revise the membership roll and mark all members of this church who live away from here and gone to different places and not to count them as attending and worshiping members of this church. By so doing, it would show our actual strength here. At present, our membership roll shows this to be a strong church, when it fact it's very weak– only a few families living here to attend church. Those that are away will be marked so and hereafter only the attending members be counted working

members at the church. All that are marked gone "will not be excluded," and may receive letters of dismission at their request. 4th A motion to adjourn was carried.
Bro. Bell, Mod. Charles P. Hanson, C .C. Adopted as read, Mch 15, 1911

Berea, Ark
Sunday, March 19, 1911 Central Baptist Church
After preaching by Brother G. E. Holt, church went into conference. 1st Doors of the church was opened for members. 2nd Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Letters of dismission was granted to Bro. A. M. Gammel and sister Mattie Gammel, T. J. Brymer and sister Mary Brymer. 4th Motion to adjourn was carried.
Bro. Holt, Mod. Copied by G. W. Franklin, C. C. pro tem Adopted June 11, 1911

Central Baptist Church June 11, 1911
After preaching by Bro. G. E. Holt, the church held conference. 1st Doors of church was open for members. 2nd Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. 3rd Letters of dismission was granted to Brother C. P. Hanson and Sister Laura Hanson. 4th Motion to adjourn was carried.
Bro. G. E. Holt, Mod. G. W. Franklin, C. C. pro tem

Sunday, September 10, 1911 Central Baptist Church
After preaching by Bro. G. E. Holt, church held conference. 1st Appointed delegates to the association, Brother J. W. Burchfield and G. W. Franklin was appointed. 2nd The clerk was ordered to fix up letter to the association. 3rd Letter of dismission was granted to Bro. W. W. Slocum. 4th Motion to adjourn was carried.
Bro. G. E. Holt, Mod. G. W. Franklin C C pro tem

State of Ark., County of Ashley
The Baptist Church of Christ at Central. This is to certify that Brother W. W. Slocum is a member with us in good standing, at his request is hereby dismissed from us when joined to another church of the same faith and order. Done by order of the church in conference. Sept. 10 A. D. 1911
Elder G. E. Holt Mod. G. W. Franklin, C. C. pro tem

Fourth Sunday evening, Sept. 28, 1911
1st Church met in conference. 2nd Bro. J. H. Riley served as moderator. 3rd Letter to the association read and adopted. 4th Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. 5th Adjourned.
Bro. J. H. Riley, Mod. G. W. Franklin, C C pro tem

[Editor's note: The church record book does not contain any entries from 1911 until 1921, and then only the final entries shown below.]

April 9, 1921 Central Baptist Church
After service by Brothers J. S. Tully, the church assembled in conference. 1st James Graham asked to be restored to the church. After hearing his statement sent by Brother

Tully and granted him and his wife, Sister Annie Graham, letters of dismission. No further business, Motion to adjourn adopted.
Bro J. S. Tully, Mod. G. W. Franklin C. C. pro tem

Monday, Oct. 22 A. D. 1923
Central Baptist Church met in conference. 1st Agreed to dissolve or disband and sell the house and give letters of dismission to the following members, G. W. Franklin, Sallie Franklin, E. A. Franklin and Chester Franklin, and Willis Stanley, being all the members living at the time we know of. 2nd We sold the house to R. J. Griswould and James H. Riley for the sum of $100.00 One Hundred Dollars, the money to be used for charitable purposes. No further business. Adjourned.
Brother J. G. Carpenter, Mod. Pro Tem G. W. Franklin, C C pro tem

January 1924. Donated orphan home Monticello $25 twenty-five dollars.

February 1924 Gave $25.00 to wire in Mt. Olive Cemetery. Bought wire for enclosing Central Cemetery and the Griswould Cemetery. Donated the balance to the orphan home, Monticello.
G. W. Franklin